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CITY of PLAINFIELD

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OF THE
1932 CITY OF PLAINFIELD, N. J. 1932

OFFICERS OF THE CITY OF PLAINFIELD
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MAYOR
MARTIN B. STUTSMAN

PRESIDENT OF THE COMMON COUNCIL
R. STORY ROWLAND

MEMBERS OF THE COMMON COUNCIL

DANIEL F. RANDOLPH	FIRST WARD	LEON M. HANNAFORD
B. COLWELL DAVIS, Jr.	FIRST WARD	unexpired term of Mr. Randolph
WILLIAM S. LARE	SECOND WARD	ROYLE T. PHILLIPS
JOSHUA L. MINER	SECOND WARD	unexpired term of Mr. Phillips
R. STORY ROWLAND	THIRD WARD	HYMAN ABRAMS
HARRY WIERENGA	FOURTH WARD	JOHN C. ALBER

COUNCILMEN-AT-LARGE
EDWARD SACHAR FREDERICK E. B. SCOTT ARTHUR J. HARRIS

Stenographer to the Common Council and its Committees
FRED TOEGEL

OFFICERS

GEORGE BRINTON WEAN ..... City Clerk
ARTHUR E. CRONE ..... City Treasurer
ROBERT L. LEE ..... Collector of Taxes
JOHN C. DILTS ..... Acting Collector
WILLIAM NEWCORN ..... Counsel to the Corporation
ALEXANDER WILSON VARS ..... City Engineer
WILLIAM G. DeMEZA ..... City Judge
CHARLES A. FLYNN ..... Chief of Police
WESLEY J. DUNN ..... Chief of Fire Department
RAPHAEL YOOD, M. D. ..... City Physician
ELPIDIO YANNOTTA ..... Overseer of the Poor
ROSS R. DEARDORFF ..... Supervisor of Municipal Finances and Accts.
JOHN S. DAHL ..... Inspector of Buildings

CHAIRMEN OF STANDING COMMITTEES

ROYLE T. PHILLIPS and LEON M. HANNAFORD ..... Finance
LEON M. HANNAFORD and HYMAN ABRAMS ..... Streets and Sewers
HARRY A. WIERENGA ..... Fire
ARTHUR J. HARRIS ..... Parks and Public Buildings
DANIEL F. RANDOLPH and ARTHUR J. HARRIS ..... Police
EDWARD SACHAR ..... Street Lighting
WILLIAM S. LARE ..... Alms
FREDERICK E. B. SCOTT ..... Building and Tax
JOHN C. ALBER ..... Auditing

NOTE: Owing to the death of Mr. Phillips and resignation of Mr. Randolph, some changes were made in committees during the year.

FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

JOHN W. LYNESS ..... Judge
ROBERT T. SKINNER ..... Clerk
PATRICK REVILLE ..... Sergeant-at-Arms

BOARD OF POLICE

DANIEL F. RANDOLPH, and MARTIN B. STUTSMAN, Mayor ..... Chairman
ROYLE T. PHILLIPS, and FREDERICK E. B. SCOTT ..... Secretary
MARTIN B. STUTSMAN, Mayor
R. STORY ROWLAND, President of the Common Council
LEON M. HANNAFORD

NOTE: Owing to the resignation of Mr. Randolph, and death of Mr. Phillips, changes were made in the Board during the year.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS

CHARLES A. PATERSON, Chairman ..... First Ward
JOHN G. BICKNELL ..... Second Ward
EVERETT JACKSON and RUFUS C. LAREW ..... Third Ward
CLARENCE BROUARD ..... Fourth Ward
J. FRED MacDONALD ..... Clerk
HARVEY R. THORN ..... Secretary

NOTE: Mr. Jackson resigned during the year and Mr. K. Larew was appointed in his stead.

COMMISSIONERS OF ASSESSMENTS

HERMAN KLING, Chairman

CHARLES C. RANDOLPH — JESSE G. MULFORD

BOARD OF EDUCATION

DeWITT D. BARLOW ..... President
MRS. EMMET A. QUARLES ..... Vice President
OTIS B. WHITFORD, D. D. S. ..... Secretary
WILLARD W. JAMES
ELMER P. WEIGEL, M. D.
FREDERIC W. COOK ..... Superintendent of Schools
GEORGE B. ZIMMER ..... Clerk

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STEPHEN H. VOORHEES ..... President
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MRS. HOWARD J. RUNYON, Jr.
N. J. RANDOLPH CHANDLER ..... Secretary and Health Officer

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MISS EDNA M. BROWN — MISS MARY B. WELLS — MRS. DOROTHY H. LARE
MISS FLORENCE M. BOWMAN ..... Librarian
NOTE: Their year ends May 31, 1932.

SHADE TREE COMMISSION

J. F. DYER ..... President
WILLIAM C. HUBBARD ..... Secretary
WILLIAM H. FORRESTEL
SYDNEY R. DURRANT ..... City Forester

BOARD OF RECREATION COMMISSIONERS

A. L. SEIDLER ..... President
JESSE G. MULFORD ..... Secretary
RICHARD J. HARRIGAN — C. D. WARDLAW — EDWARD H. GOODWIN
ROY O. SCHLENTER ..... Director

SINKING FUND COMMISSION

HON. MARTIN B. STUTSMAN ..... Mayor
JOSEPH W. SANDFORD ..... President
ARTHUR E. CRONE, City Treasurer ..... Treasurer
CHARLES E. LOIZEAUX — FREDERICK T. JACOBS

RESEARCH, ADVISORY & CITY PLANNING COMMISSION

GEORGE S. CLAY — WILLIAM G. BESLER — HENRY L. DeFOREST
SEYMOUR PERKINS — HUGH G. SMITH

PENSION COMMISSION

HON. MARTIN B. STUTSMAN, Mayor ..... Chairman
ARTHUR E. CRONE, City Treasurer ..... Secretary
GEORGE LEORCH ..... Representing the Police Department
PAUL P. ADAMS ..... Representing the Fire Department
DAVID J. SCOTT ..... Citizen

BOARD OF APPEALS (BUILDING DEPT.)

LUTHER S. AYER ..... Chairman
GEORGE H. FISHER, Jr. ..... Secretary
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E. KENDALL MORSE ..... Secretary
MICHAEL D. O'KEEFFE — SEYMOUR PERKINS — HENRY W. BROWER
MRS. MARY B. HARPER ..... Assistant Secretary

BOARD OF SCHOOL ESTIMATE

HON. MARTIN B. STUTSMAN ..... Mayor
R. STORY ROWLAND ..... Member from Common Council
ROYLE T. PHILLIPS ..... Member from Common Council
DeWITT D. BARLOW ..... Member from Board of Education
OTIS B. WHITFORD ..... Member from Board of Education

GENERAL INFORMATION RELATING TO THE CITY OF PLAINFIELD, NEW JERSEY

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Population, per April 1930 Federal Census	34,422
Net Valuation taxable at local rate	$63,304,180
Tax Rate for $100.00	$3.73

For data respecting miles of streets, length of improved streets, miles of storm and sanitary sewers, and related matters, see Report of the City Engineer.

For data respecting assessed valuations and related matters, see Report of the Clerk of the Board of Assessors.

Plainfield possesses the natural advantages for creating an ideal suburban city, including—

Abundance of pure and wholesome water;

One of the finest school systems in the State (13 buildings);

Located twenty-four miles from New York City, with excellent train service, being located on the main line of the C. R. R. of N. J., B. & O. R. R. and P. & R. Ry., express trains making the trip in 45 minutes.

Churches of a wide range of denominations.

Y.M.C.A., Y.W.C.A., and Y.M.-Y.W.H.A. each have new homes;

We also have a colored Y.M.C.A. (Moorland Branch).

Public Library and Art Gallery, the fourth oldest in the State.

New City Hall housing the governmental departments, except Police and Fire Departments; also the Charity Organizations, and the Fourth Judicial District Court.

The Police Department is housed in its own building, and is composed of sixty-three members, not including one special, one clerk and one cleaner.

The Fire Department is housed in three buildings, and is composed of fifty-six members and one clerk.

An active Chamber of Commerce.

Six Banks (two National, three Trust, and one Savings).

Seven Building and Loan Associations.

Two of the County Parks (Green Brook and Cedar Brook), and one City Park (Library Square).

Several golf courses are located near the city limits.

Numerous fraternal, service and other clubs.

Boys' and girls' private schools with wide enrollment.

THE MAYOR'S MESSAGE

January 2, 1933.

Mr. President and Gentlemen of the Common Council of the City of Plainfield:

It is indeed a pleasure to have this opportunity at the beginning of a New Year, and a new administration, to address you in person in order to satisfy myself that the mayor is not a mere department of the city sending messages,—that he is a human being desiring to cooperate with other human beings in a common service to our community. Especially during these trying times should there be the closest cooperation between us in order that we may obtain the best results in the shortest length of time.

I am quite sure that you and I thoroughly appreciate the great responsibilities that have been placed in our hands by the citizens of Plainfield,—their hope and belief that we will earnestly, conscientiously and harmoniously use our combined efforts and abilities to enforce strict economy, which will bring about a reduction in municipal taxes, to relieve distress and reduce unemployment. These are our problems. They are not easy, but they will be solved more readily by working together with a common purpose in recognition of the necessity.

ECONOMY AND EFFICIENCY

Expenditures must be reduced, waste must be eliminated, and duplication of effort in the interest of economy and efficiency must be avoided. I therefore recommend:—

1st—That such salaries which have not yet been reduced should be reduced to conform in principle with those reductions already made. Also, pending a return to normal conditions, acquiscence to a similar reduction should be given by those whose salaries are fixed by law during their tenure of office.

2nd—That the Building Department be merged with the Street & Sewer Department under the administration of the City Engineer. The work of the two departments is correlated in many respects, and such change will result in more efficient work with a reduction in personnel.

3rd—That the Plumbing Inspector, (now with the Board of Health) be transferred to the Street & Sewer Department under the administration of the City Engineer, provided the Board of Health passes an ordinance agreeing to such transfer. It is my belief that such a change, as in the case of the Building Department, will result in better coordination of the engineering facilities of the city, greater elasticity in the duties delegated to the personnel of the Street & Sewer Department, and with work being performed more efficiently at less expense.

4th—That no capital expenditures for major improvements, other than those already under way, should be incurred unless absolutely necessary for the health and safety of our citizens. When such expenditures are necessary they should be made in such a way as to give the greatest amount of employment to our own citizens.

EMERGENCY RELIEF

There are many persons in our community who have been, are and will, for a while longer, be in distress through no fault of their own. They have and are showing wonderful fortitude, courage and patriotism in bearing up bravely under their misfortunes.

The Emergency Relief Administration and other agencies, must and will see that no citizen of Plainfield suffers on this account for lack of food, clothing or shelter. I ask your full and sympathetic cooperation with the Emergency Relief Administration in providing such funds as may be necessary during the coming year for this purpose.

UNEMPLOYMENT

Hand in hand with the emergency relief goes the problem of unemployment. The more we can reduce unemployment, just that much less will be required for emergency relief.

I propose, as an auxiliary to the Emergency Relief Administration, the creation of an active organization for the purpose of finding as much work as possible for the unemployed. I also propose to enlist in these efforts, the cooperation of the various civic, religious, fraternal and service organizations. With such cooperation a definite plan of action will be worked out, and then, through these combined efforts I believe unemployment will be greatly reduced.

WATER RATES

The existing water rates should be reduced. They were increased several years ago as a result of a revaluation of the Water Company's properties and equipment, based upon depreciated replacement values at a time of high costs. It therefore holds true that reductions in rates should now be made to conform with the much lower depreciated replacement values, due to the greatly reduced labor and material costs.

I recommend that the Council proceed vigorously in an effort to obtain from the Water Company a reduction in rates, which will result in savings to individual citizens, as well as to the city.

TAXATION AND FINANCE

Plainfield, over a period of many years, has had an enviable reputation among municipalities for her sound methods of taxation and finance. The judgment and civic conscience of the Council and the finance officers in these matters have been complimented by the Commission on County and Municipal Taxation and Expenditures in their Report to the Legislature under date of October 6, 1931.

I urge you to cautiously be on guard against any action which would cause us to depart from sound business methods of taxation and finance. We must maintain the strong financial condition of the city, and continue to justify our reputation for high credit.

ZONING

Since the adoption of our Zoning Ordinance in 1923 there have been only a few minor changes. In the intervening ten years the population of the city has considerably increased, with the result that certain changes in the the zoning map should be made to provide for changed conditions. Also, the experience of the Board of Adjustment has shown that there should be certain changes in the written portion of the zoning ordinance in order to conform to the best zoning practice, and to clarify its meaning. I urge that you give early consideration to the recommendations made by the Board of Adjustment in October for such changes, which have been referred to this Council.

MOTION PICTURE THEATRES

The Motion Picture Theatres have been operating since the early part of 1932 on Sundays. The vote cast at the last General Election on the "Public Question" clearly indicated that a large majority of our citizens favored Sunday Movies, and I therefore recommend:—

1st—That no ordinance be passed prohibiting such performance on Sunday.

2nd—That license fees for Motion Picture Theatres be substantially increased by ordinance, and further, that licenses shall in the future, expire on March 15th of each year.

POLICE AND FIRE DEPARTMENTS

I congratulate the heads and members of both of these departments for the very courteous, prompt and efficient manner in which their duties are carried out. They realize that they have the responsibility for the preservation of law and order, and the safety of our lives and homes.

In order to continue to justify the high esteem in which these departments of our municipal government are held by the citizens, I urge that the strictest disipline be at all times maintained by the heads of each department, and that in this they receive the full support of the Common Council.

REDISTRICTING OF WARDS

There is great congestion in some of our election districts which was especially noticeable at the Primary Election of last year. There are ten election districts out of a total of twenty-three, in each of which more than six hundred voters cast their ballots at the last Presidential Election. This fact requires, under Section 4, Paragraph 40, Article IV of the Election Law, that the boundary lines of such districts be readjusted by the Council so that none shall have more than five hundred and fifty registered voters. In order to become effective this year the readjustment must be made before March first.

I therefore urge prompt action by Council; otherwise many of our citizens will be unable to cast their vote at the Primary Election, on account of the great congestion at the Polls in some districts during the last hour of the day.

These, Gentlemen, are my recommendations, and I hope they may receive your favorable consideration. From time to time I shall feel free to send you further communications on subjects which, in my opinion should have your attention. Likewise, I trust you will feel free to call upon me at any time for counsel or advice.

I extend to each of you my wish that health, happiness and good fortune may be with you throughout the year, and at its close you and I will be able to say, "We have done our best".

C. BENSON WIGTON,

Mayor

January 2, 1933

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TREASURER

To the Honorable Common Council of the City of Plainfield, New Jersey.

Gentlemen:

Herewith is presented my financial report of the City of Plainfield for the year ending December 31, 1932.

The report is divided into four Classifications — Current, Capital, Trust and Reserve. Each classification is exhibited by a separate Balance Sheet with supporting Statements.

Exhibit A—The Current Account Comparative Balance Sheets as at January, 1, 1932 and December 31, 1932 and supporting statements reflect the operations and results of the 1932 Budget.

Exhibit B—The Capital Account Comparative Balance Sheets as at January 1, 1932 and December 31, 1932 and supporting statements reflect any actions of the Common Council in authorizing permanent Improvement together with the progress and results in carrying out the several projects.

Exhibit C—Comparative Trust Balance Sheets as at January 1, 1932 and December 31, 1932 and the supporting statements incorporate the accounts governing improvement assessments made against property owners and the Municipality's obligations directly relating to these improvement assessments.

Exhibit D—Comparative Reserve Balance Sheet as at January 1, 1932 and December 31, 1932 reflects the condition of the Sinking Fund with a list of the investments as at December 31, 1932.

Exhibit A—Current Account Comparative Balance Sheet.

A-1 Statement of Treasurer's Receipts and Disbursements.
A-2 Statement of Cash Analysis.
A-3 Statement of Taxes—1932.
A-4 Statement of Taxes Remitted.
A-5 Statement of 1932 Tax Duplicate.
A-6 Statement of Tax Title Liens.
A-7 Statement of Accounts Receivable.
A-8 Statement of Revenues for 1932.
A-9 Statement of 1932 Appropriations.
A-10 Statement of Appropriation Reserves.
A-11 Statement of Emergency Revenues.
A-12 Statement of Emergency Appropriations & Expenditures.
A-13 Analysis of Charges-Relief Order Commitments.
A-14 Statement of Emergency Notes.
A-15 Statement of Deferred Charges.
A-16 Statement of Account Due Trust.
A-17 Statement of Fees for Collection of Delinquent Taxes.

A-18 Statement of Tax Notes.

A-19 Statement of Suspense & Sundry Accounts Payable.

A-20 Statement of Overpayment of Taxes.

A-21 Statement of Unexpended Balances Account and Surplus Revenue.

Exhibit B—Capital Account Comparative Balance Sheet.

B-1 Statement of Capital Receipts and Disbursements for 1932.

B-1a Detailed Statement of Receipts and Disbursements of Improvement Accounts.

B-2 Statement of Appropriations authorized completed and uncompleted.

B-3 Statement of Improvements in Progress—1932.

B-4 Statement of Improvement Notes

B-5 Statement of Funds in Sinking Fund pledged to the Payment of Term Bonds.

B-5-1 Statement of Private Sewer Inspection.

B-5-2 Statement of Sale of Municipal Property.

B-6 Statement of Amount to be raised by future taxation.

B-7-1 Statement of Bonded Indebtedness.

B-7-2 Statement of Bonded Indebtedness.

Exhibit C—Trust Account Comparative Balance Sheet.

C-1 Statement of Trust Receipts and Disbursements.

C-2 Statement of Cash in Sinking Fund Pledged to Pay Assessment Bonds.

C-3 Statement of Fund Accounts.

C-4 Statement of Assessments Receivable.

C-5 Statement of Assessment Notes.

C-6 Statement of Bonded Indebtedness.

Exhibit D—Reserve — Sinking Fund Balance Sheet and investments.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR E. CRONE,

Treasurer.

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1932
CURRENT, CAPITAL AND TRUST ACCOUNTS

ASSETS:	Totals	Current Accounts	Captial Accounts	Trust Accounts
Cash	$ 122,790.81	$ 53,054.01	$ 40,512.17	$ 29,224.63
Petty Cash	200.00	200.00		
Taxes and Tax Title Liens	977,195.80	977,195.80		
Accounts Receivable	12,665.27	12,665.27		
Emergency Revenues	132,272.01	132,272.01		
Due from State of New Jersey Emergency State Refund Account	17,636.27	17,636.27		
Overexpenditures Emergency Relief Appropriation Account	1,115.58	1,115.58		
Due from Community Chest	52.50	52.50		
Deferred Charges	778.55	778.55		
Improvements authorized and Uncompleted	505,000.00		505,000.00	
Cost of Improvements in Progress	237,746.81		237,746.81	
Amount to be raised by Future Taxation	4,650,462.01		4,650,462.01	
Amount in Sinking Fund pledged to payment of Term Bonds	213,670.74		213,670.74	
Joint Sewer Commission	6,800.00		6,800.00	
Borough of Fanwood	18,000.00		18,000.00	
Borough of Fanwood—Joint Meeting	17,952.00		17,952.00	
Assessments Receivable	345,899.03			345,899.03
Cash in Sinking Fund Pledged To Assessment Bonds	166,725.11			166,725.11
Trust Assessment Liens due from Current	26,720.86			26,720.86
	$7,453,683.35	$1,194,969.99	$5,690,143.73	$568,569.63

LIABILITIES:	Totals	Current Accounts	Captial Accounts	Trust Accounts
1928 Appropriation Reserve	$ 14,934.76	$ 14,934.76		
1931 Appropriation Reserve	43,090.49	43,090.49		
1932 Appropriation Reserve	46,429.99	46,429.99		
1932 School Account	378,032.00	378.032.00		
Emergency Notes Outstanding	149,908.28	149,908.28		
Local Contributions to Emergency Relief Fund	705.53	705.53		
Tax Revenue Notes Outstanding	200,000.00	200,000.00		
Emergency Relief Orders Payable	15,700.68	15,700.68		
Reserve for Assessment Liens—1932 Appropriation	15,000.00	15,000.00		
Due Trust For Assessment Liens	26,720.86	26,720.86		
Overpayment of Taxes	14.39	14.39		
Suspense Account	443.32	443.32		
Due collectors of Delinquent Taxes	45.92	45.92		
Sundry Accounts Payable	3.00	3.00		
Surplus Revenue Account	303,940.77	303,940.77		
Ordinance Improvement Appropriation	505,000.00		505,000.00	
Sale Municipal Lands	2,500.00		2,500.00	
Joint Meeting Sewer	6,800.00		6,800.00	
Reserve for the Payment of Sewer Bonds	35,952.00		35,952.00	
Improvement Notes:				
Streets	3,910.80		3,910.80	
Sewers	408,980.93		408,980.93	
Bonds Outstanding:				
School — Term	304,000.00		304,000.00	
School — Serial	1,736,000.00		1,736,000.00	
General — Term	111,000.00		111,000.00	
General — Serial	2,576,000.00		2,576,000.00	
Assessment Bonds	426,000.00			426,000.00
Assessment Notes	129,030.34			129,030.34
Assessment Notes Capital Account Ord. 297	12,202.16			12,202.16
Deposits Special Officers Badges	145.00			145.00
Refund — Gas & Water Connections	35.00			35.00
Miscellaneous Fund Accounts	448.13			448.13
Trust Surplus	709.00			709.00
	$7,453,683.35	$1,194,969.99	$5,690,143.73	$568,569.63

EXHIBIT A

CURRENT ACCOUNT BALANCE SHEET

Index		As at January 1 1932	As at December 1 1932
	ASSETS		
A1	Cash	$ 20,762.09	$ 53,054.01
A2	Petty Cash	200.00	200.00
A3	Taxes & Tax Title Liens	859,393.25	977,195.80
A7	Accounts Receivable	14,336.17	12,665.27
A11	Emergency Revenues	63,500.00	132,272.01
A11	Due from State of New Jersey Emergency State Refund Account		17,636.27
A12	Overexpenditures Emergency Relief Appropriation Account		1,115.58
A12	Due from Plainfield Community Chest		52.50
A15	Deferred Charges	50.00	778.55
		$958,241.51	$1,194,969.99
	LIABILITIES & SURPLUS		
A10	1928 Appropriation Reserve	$ 15,290.19	$ 14,934.76
A10	1931 Appropriation Reserve	87,848.50	43.090.49
A9	1932 Appropriation Reserve		46,429.99
A10	1931 School Account	374,123.00	
A9	1932 School Account		378,032.00
A12	Balance Emerg. Appro. Account	30,481.26	
A14	Emerg. Notes Outstanding	63,500.00	149,908.28
A12	Local Contributions to Emerg. Relief Fund		705.53
A13	Emergency Relief Orders Payable		15,700.68
A18	Tax Revenue Notes Outstanding	44,100.00	200,000.00
A9	Reserve for Assessment Liens 1932 Appro.		15,000.00
A16	Due Trust for Assessment Liens	36,525.85	26,720.86
A20	Overpayment of Taxes	329.95	14.39
A19	Suspense Account	294.59	443.32
A1	Reserve for returned checks unpaid	1,483.59	
A22	Reserve for Accounts Receivable	500.05	
A4	Reserve for Remission of Taxes	349.74	
A17	Due Collectors of Delinquent Taxes		45.92
A19	Sundry Accounts Payable	17.50	3.00
A22	Surplus Revenue Account	303,397.29	303,940.77
		$958,241.51	$1,194,969.99

STATEMENT OF TREASURER'S RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS 1932

Index	RECEIPTS		
A	Cash Balance 1-1-32	$	$ 20,762.09
A2	Petty Cash Refund	500.00	
A3	From Taxes & Liens	2,370,372.41	
A20	From Overpayment of Taxes	142.56	
A3	From Refund on Taxes Contra	140.33	
A7	From Accounts Receivable	15,490.54	
A8	From 1932 Revenue Account	147,528.47	
A12-14	From Emergency Notes (Relief)	194,826.69	
A12	Local Contributions for Emergency Relief	2,908.53	
A11	From State of New Jersey Emergency Relief: State Refund Account	83,888.38	
A13	Emergency Relief Orders issued (Contra)	84,741.53	
A18	From Tax Notes Issued	436,000.00	
A22	From Geo. B. Wean—City Clerk Dog License 1931 Account	5.00	
A19	Collector of Taxes—Unidentified Receipts	5.00	
A19	Collector of Taxes-Special Acct.	40.40	
	Plainfield Auto Tire Co. Contra	1.20	
A19	Sundry Accounts Payable	12.00	
A17	Collector of Taxes—fees and Commissions due Collectors of delinquent Taxes	1,267.40	
	Contra Fire Insurance for damage to Fire Engine (Contra)	169.10	
	Credit Surplus Revenue to Correct Error—Collectors Cash Book—Page 102, July 12, 1932 (Int. & Tax)	.01	
			3,338,039.55
			$3,358,801.64

Index	DISBURSEMENTS		
A2	Petty Cash Advance	500.00	
A3	Refund of Taxes (Contra)	140.33	
A20	Refund Overpayment of Taxes	23.72	
A18	Payment of Tax Notes	280,100.00	
A12-14	Payment of Emergency Notes	108,418.41	
A16	Purchase of Assessment Liens 1931 Tax Sale	36,525.85	
A5	Payment of State & County Taxes	656,720.61	
A12	Emergency Appropriations	228,106.76	
A10	1928 Reserve Appropriations	513.83	
A10	1931 Reserve Appropriations	39,294.02	
A9	1932 Budget Appropriations	1,192,951.25	
A10	1931 School Account	374,123.00	
A9	1932 School Account	315,000.00	
A13	Emergency Relief Orders paid	69,040.85	
A	1931 Reserve for Returned checks	1,483.59	
A3	Removal of Dangerous Buildings	249.50	
	Plainfield Auto parts (Contra)	1.20	
A19	Sundry Accounts Payable	14.50	
A17	Payment of fees and Commissions to Collectors of delinquent Taxes	1,221.48	
A15	Deferred Charges	113.25	
A4	Remission of Taxes Refunds	162.62	
	Damage to Fire Engine Insurance Contra Fund Account (Contra)	169.10	
A22	Re-charge-Interest on 1931 Assessment Collection (N.G. Check) Charged to Surplus Revenue	873.76	
	Total Disbursements		3,305,747.63
A	Cash Balance Dec. 31, 1932		53,054.01
			$3,358,801.64

STATEMENT OF CASH ANALYSIS

A1	Current Account	$	$ 53,054.01	
	Capital Account		40,512.17	
	Trust Account		29,224.63	
	Total on General Cash Account			$122,790.81
	Bank Balances	Bank Balance	Adjusted Bal.	
	Plainfield Trust Co.	129,620.30		
	Plus: Deposit 1-6-33	500.00		
		130,120.30		
	Less Checks Outstanding	33,883.02	96,237.28	
	First National Bank		249.11	
	State Trust Co.		15,737.97	
	Plainfield National Bank		10,378.56	
	Mid City Trust Co.		187.89	
				$122,790.81

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STATEMENT OF PETTY CASH FUND

		Dr.	Cr.
A	Balance 1-1-32	200.00	
A1	Advance to City Clerk	500.00	
A1	Refund from City Clerk		500.00
A	Balance 12-31-32		200.00
		$ 700.00	$ 700.00

PETTY CASH OR CHARGE FUND

A	John C. Dilts, Acting Collector	200.00

STATEMENT OF TAXES FOR 1932

	Outstanding 1-1-33	Added and 1932 Levy	Memo only Refunded & Recharged	Assessments —Snow & Shade Tree	Collected in 1932	Remitted in 1932	Transferred to Tax Title Liens	Deferred Charges	Outstanding 12-31-32
1923 Taxes Personal	$ 15.70	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 15.70
1924 Taxes Personal	39.56								39.56
1925 Taxes Personal	137.31								115.53
1926 Taxes Personal		20.94			21.78				
1927 Taxes Personal	1,070.75				20.94				
1928 Taxes Real	1.00				22.86	1,024.08			23.81
1928 Taxes Personal	2,570.28				1.00				
1929 Taxes Real	18.14				144.77	2,406.11			19.40
1929 Taxes Personal	6,041.74				18.14				
1930 Taxes Real	3,813.41				481.00	3,918.35			1,642.39
1930 Taxes Personal	7,819.44	169.26			2,738.41		1,075.00		
1931 Taxes Real	632,189.29				2,013.66	3,751.22			2,223.82
1931 Taxes Personal	58,456.09	100.74			598,032.17	183.12	32,770.00		1,204.00
1932 Taxes Real		2,108,239.95	96.98		39,325.65	11,274.78			7,956.40
1932 Taxes Personal & Poll		248,698.08	19.65		1,360,715.32	5,485.06	43,622.80		698,416.77
1932 Second Class R. R. Tax		11,314.20			181,998.04	9,791.23			56,908.81
1932 Bank Stock Tax		9,435.64			7,645.13				3,669.07
Franchise Tax	5,631.89	87,313.99			9,435.64				
Gross Receipts Taxes		25,292.99			87,479.89			69.64	5,396.35
Tax Title Liens	141,588.65	77,467.80		26,780.38	25,292.99				
Int. & Cost added		35.42			54,985.02	660.25			199,314.69
Removal Dangerous Bldgs.		9,087.71							
		249.50							249.50
	$ 859,393.25	$2,577,426.22	$140.33	$26,780.38	$2,370,372.41	$38,494.20	$77,467.80	$69.64	$ 977,195.80
	A	A5-6-22	A-1		A-1	A-4	A-6	A-15	A

Summary Overpayment of Taxes

1932 Overpayment	$	$142.56
Refund to taxpayer	23.72	
Refunded by Order County Board of Taxation Charged to Remission of Tax Account	104.45	
Balance	14.39	
	$142.56	$142.56

Summary Statement

A	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1932	$ 859,393.25
A	Added and 1932 Levy	2,577,426.22
A	Assessments Inc. Snow and Shade Tree	26,780.38
A-1	Collected in 1932	2,370,372.41
A-4	Remitted in 1932	38,494.20
A-6	Transferred to Tax Title Liens	77,467.80
A-15	Deferred Charges	69.64
A	Outstanding Dec. 31, 1932	977,195.80

STATEMENT OF TAXES REMITTED

	Dr. Journal	Dr. Cash	Cr.
Balance Jan. 1, 1932	$	$	$ 349.74
1932 Appropriation			22,000.00
Other Credits			163.52
A-3 1927 P. P. Taxes	1,024.08		
A-3 1928 P. P. Taxes	2,406.11		
A-3 1929 P. P. Taxes	3,918.35		
A-3 1930 P. P. Taxes	3,751.22		
A-3 1931 R. E. Taxes	183.12		
A-3 1931 P. P. Taxes	11,274.78		
A-3 1932 R. E. Taxes	5,485.06		
A-3 1932 P. P. Taxes	9,791.23		
A-6 Tax Title Liens	660.25		
1929 Real Estate		22.17	
1930 Real Estate		22.17	
1931 Real Estate		13.83	
1932 Real Estate		100.71	
1932 Personal Property		3.74	
A-3 Total Journal Charges	38,494.20		22,513.26
A-1 Total Cash Charges	162.62	162.62	
Deficit to Unexpended Balances Account			16,143.56
	$38,656.82		$38,656.82

STATEMENT OF TAXES REMITTED AND AN ANALYSIS OF REMITTED TAXES

	By Common Council	By Collector Soldiers and Sailors	By County Board	By State Board	Total By Journal	Cash Refund Common Council	Cash Refund County Board	Grand Total
1927 Personal Property	1,024.08			$	$ 1,024.08	$	$	$ 1,024.08
1928 Personal Property	2,399.31	6.80			2,406.11			2,406.11
1929 Personal Property	3,904.32	14.03			3,918.35			3,918.35
1929 Real Estate						22.17		22.17
1930 Personal Property	3,724.08	27.14			3,751.22			3,751.22
1930 Real Estate						22.17		22.17
1931 Real Estate	25.12	158.00			183.12	13.83		196.95
1931 Personal Property	10,714.76	376.87		183.15	11,274.78			11,274.78
1932 Real Estate	6.53	428.95	5,049.58		5,485.06		100.71	5,585.77
1932 Personal Property	6,446.06	903.68	2,441.49		9,791.23		3.74	9,794.97
Tax Title Liens	660.25				660.25			660.25
	$28,904.51	$1,915.47	$ 7,491.07	$183.15	$38,494.20 A-3	$58.17 A-1	$104.45 A-1	$38,656.82

STATEMENT OF 1932 TAX DUPLICATE AND ANALYSIS OF PROPERTY TAX

Current Account A-5

STATEMENT OF TAX DUPLICATE

Index				
A-3	Real Estate Taxes	$2,108,239.95		
A-3	Personal Estate Taxes	242,052.08		
A-3	Second Class R. R. Tax	11,314.20		
	Total Property Tax		2,361,606.23	
A-8	Poll Taxes Levy		6,646.00	
	Total Duplicate			$2,368,252.23
	Collected in 1932			
A-3	Real Estate Tax	1,360,715.32		
A-3	Personal and Poll Tax	181,998.04		
A-3	Second Class R. R. Tax	7,645.13		
	Total		1,550,358.49	
A-6	Transfered to Tax Title Liens		43,622.80	
	Remitted			
A-3-4	Real Estate Taxes	5,485.06		
A-3-4	Personal Property Taxes	9,791.23		
			15,276.29	
	Outstanding Dec. 31, 1932			
A-3	Real Estate Taxes	698,416.77		
A-3	Personal Property Taxes	56,908.81		
A-3	Second Class R. R. Tax	3,669.07		
			758,994.65	
				$2,368,252.23

ANALYSIS OF PROPERTY TAX

Index				
A-5	Property Tax	$2,361,606.23		
A-3	Bank Stock Tax	9,435.64		
	Total			$2,371,041.87
	For:			
	State Road Tax	63,836.99		
	State School Tax	175,422.20		
	Soldiers Bonus	8,822.81		
	County Taxes	403,145.45		
	Judicial District Court	5,493.16		
A-1			$ 656,720.61	
A-8	Local School Tax	693,032.00		
A-8	Local City Tax	1,020,061.17		
			$1,713,093.17	2,369,813.78
A-21	Excess Tax Revenue			$ 1,228.09

Current Account A-6

STATEMENT OF TAX TITLE LIENS

Index					
A-3	Balance January 1, 1932			$141,588.65	
	Added in 1932				
A-3	1930 Taxes sold		$ 1,075.00		
A-3	1931 Taxes sold	$32,712.73			
A-3	1931 Taxes transferred	57.27	32,770.00		
A-3	1932 Taxes transferred		43,622.80		
C	Assessments sold	25,714.34			
C	Assessments transfered	1,006.52	26,720.86		
A-7	Snow and Ice sold	17.99			
A-7	Snow and Ice transferred	.13			
A-7	Shade Trees sold	23.00			
A-7	Shade Trees transferred	18.40	59.52		
A-22	Interest and Cost added to Sales Certificates		9,087.71		
A-4	Adjustment Charges		35.42	113,371.31	
					$254,959.96
A-3	Paid in 1932		54,985.02		
A-3	Cancelled by Common Council		660.25	55,645.27	
A-3	Balance Outstanding Dec. 31, 1932			199,314.69	
					$254,959.96

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE—DECEMBER 31, 1932

	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1932	1932 Charges	1932 Receipts	Transferred to Tax Title Liens	Deferred Charges	Outstanding Dec. 31, 1932
Public Service Elec. & Gas Co.	$ 1,359.26	$ 69.04	$ 1,359.26			$ 69.04
Plainfield Union - Water Co.	19.44	111.10	19.44			111.10
County of Union Rental		1,320.00	1,320.00			
Miscellaneous Accounts	66.30	96.56	107.75		25.83	29.28
City Court	439.00	63.00	439.00			63.00
Gasoline Tax Refund	11,995.27	12,210.29	11,995.27			12,210.29
H. O. B. Motor Sales Co.		35.00				35.00
Snow and Ice Removal	146.84		62.56	18.12		66.16
Shade Trees	310.06		87.26	41.40		81.40
Robert L. Lee		103.33			103.33	
	$14,336.17	$14,008.32	$15,490.54	$59.52	$129.16	$12,665.27
	A	A-8-19	A-1	A-6	A-15	A

Analysis of Charges

3	City Court Rev.	$ 63.00
12	Street Dept. Rev.	276.70
15	Gasoline Tax Refund	12,210.29
25	Miscellaneous Rev.	1,320.00
25	Miscellaneous Rev.	35.00
A-8	Revenue Account Cr.	$13,904.99
A-19	Suspense Account Cr.	103.33
		$14,008.32

STATEMENT OF REVENUES FOR 1932

Realized

Index	RESOURCES	Budget	In Cash	Accounts Receivable	Journal	Total Revenues Realized	Excess Revenues	Deficit Revenues
1	Surplus Revenues Appro.	$ 78,284.78			$ 78,284.78	$ 78,284.78		
	Miscellaneous Revenues Anticipated							
2	Board of Health	2,500.00	2,252.08			2,252.08		247.92
3	City Court	5,000.00	2,750.75	63.00		2,813.75		2,186.25
4	City Clerk	9,000.00	10,398.72			10,398.72	1,398.72	
5	Building Department	3,000.00	1,871.50			1,871.50		1,128.50
6	Search Fees	1,200.00	1,060.25			1,060.25		139.75
7	Interest on Taxes	24,000.00	51,563.81			51,563.81	27,563.81	
8	Interest on Assessments	17,000.00	24,335.12			24,335.12	7,335.12	
9	Poll Taxes	3,000.00			6,646.00	6,646.00	3,646.00	
10	Franchise Taxes	76,000.00			87,313.99	87,313.99	11,313.99	
11	Gross Receipts Taxes	22,000.00			25,292.99	25,292.99	3,292.99	
12	Street Department	1,500.00	489.66	276.70		766.36		733.64
13	Jitney Buses	4,000.00	4,036.94			4,036.94	36.94	
14	Interest on Bank Balances	500.00	864.98			864.98	364.98	
15	Gasoline Tax Refund	48,353.00	36,630.87	12,210.29		48,841.16	488.16	
16	Trust Funds	382.08	382.08			382.08		
17	Trust Surplus	7,000.00	7 000.00			7,000.00		
		$302 719.86	$143,636.76	$12,549.99	$197,537.76	$ 353,724.51	$55,440.71	$4,436.06
	Amount to be raised by Taxation for City	1,020,061.17			1,021,289.26	1,021,289.26	1,228.09	
	For Local Schools	693,032.00			693,032.00			
	Miscellaneous Revenues Not Anticipated		3,891.71	1,355.00		5,246.71	5,246.71	
		$2,015,813.03	$147,528.47	$13,904.99	$1,911,859.02	$1,380,260.48	$61,915.51	$4,436.06
			A-1	A-7	A-5			

SUMMARY STATEMENT

Budget Revenues	2,015,813.03	
Cash Receipts		147,528.47
Accounts Receivable		13,904.99
Journal		1,911,859.02
Revenues Excess	61,915.51	
Revenues Deficit		4,436.06
	$2,077,728.54	$2,077,728.54

SUMMARY OF CREDITS

Index			
	Excess Miscellaneous Revenues	$55,440.71	
	Less: Deficit Misc. Revenues	4,436.06	
A22	Net Misc. Revenues to Surplus		$51,004.65
A22	Misc. Revenues Not Anticipated to Surplus		5,246.71
A21	Excess Tax Revenues to Unexpended Balance Account		1,228.09

STATEMENT OF 1932 APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

Account No.	Accounts	1932 Appropriations	TRANSFERS To	TRANSFERS From	EXPENDED Cash	EXPENDED Journal	EXPENDED Reserve	Unexpended Balance
	ADMINISTRATIVE & EXECUTIVE							
1	Salaries	$ 15,725.00			$ 15,704.71			$ 20.29
2	Office Expenses, Supplies, Etc.	2,500.00	$ 300.00		2,357.23		$ 442.77	
3	Printing and Advertising	1,500.00			1,107.23		20.00	372.11
4	Auditing	1,200.00			960.00			240.00
5	Bond Issue Expense	500.00					500.00	
6	League of Municipalities	245.00			245.00			
	ASSESSMENT & COLLECTION OF TAXES							
7	Tax Department	$ 15,200.00	400.00		13,709.21		1,890.79	
8	Board of Assessors	9,900.00	50.00		9,779.60		170.40	
9	Department of Finance	9,925.00		300.00	9,570.51			54.49
10	Interest on Current Loans	9,000.00		2,542.14	2,769.12		550.00	3,138.74
10-a	Discount on 1932 Taxes	12,000.00	1,297.59		13,297.59			
	GROUNDS & BUILDINGS							
11	Maintenance City Hall, Parks & Grounds	$ 9,100.00			8,525.39		350.00	224.61
11-a	Washington Headquarters	500.00	31.30		531.30			
12	Building Department	6,200.00			6,106.78		25.00	68.22
13	Board of Appeals	50.00						50.00
14	Board of Adjustment	750.00			413.79			336.21
	PRESERVATION OF LIFE & PROPERTY							
16	Police Department							
	A-Salaries and Wages	$147,550.00	160.75		147,674.46			36.29
	B-Maintenance	9,600.00	400.00		8,492.08		1,507.92	
17	Fire Department							
	A-Salaries and Wages	135,450.00			135,218.73			231.27
	B-Maintenance	9,875.00			7,409.12		900.00	1,565.88
	C-Signal System:							
	Fire, Police & Traffic	12,600.00			11,765.80		834.20	
	E-1931 Emergency Note-Repair to Fire Dept. Headquarters Building	7,500.00			782.61	7,500.00		417.39
	F-Underground Fire & Police Signal System	1,200.00			11,440.00			
18	Pension-Police & Fire (1932-4% on $286,000.)	11,440.00			48,872.10		16,267.09	35.81
19	Rental of Fire Hydrants	65,175.00			2,509.98		200.00	290.02
20	Traffic Signs and Road Markings	3,000.00						
	HEALTH, CHARITIES AND COURTS							
21	Board of Health	$ 19,700.00			$ 19,140.14		559.86	
22	Dog Pound Expenses	1,500.00	100.00		1,553.94		46.06	
23	Poor Department	21,600.00			15,480.29		6,119.71	
24	Muhlenberg Hospital	10,000.00			10,000.00			
25	Dental Clinic	500.00			500.00			
25-a	Visiting Nurses Association	2,500.00			2,500.00			
25-b	Charity Organization (Tuberculosis)	500.00			500.00			
26	City Court	4,400.00			4,249.47		150.53	

STATEMENT OF 1932 APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES—Continued.

Account No.	Accounts	1932 Appropriations	TRANSFERS To	TRANSFERS From	EXPENDED Cash	EXPENDED Journal	Reserve	Unexpended Balance
	STREETS, HIGHWAYS & SEWERS							
28	Streets and Sewers Department	$ 102,250.00			$ 95,190.51		$ 7,059.49	
29	Shade Tree Commission	9,000.00	$ 50.00		8,882.53		167.47	
30	Street Lighting	54,000.00			53,134.48			$ 865.52
31	Operation Joint Sewage Disposal Plant	17,500.00			15,371.92			2,128.08
	RECREATION							
35	Recreation Commission	12,500.00	50.00		12,421.30		128.70	
	DEBT SERVICE							
37	Payment of Serial Bonds							
	A-School	78,000.00			78,000.00			
	B-General	101,000.00			101,000.00			
38	Sinking Fund Commission	3,300.00			3,300.00			
39	Interest on Bonded Indebtedness							
	A-School Bonds	95,048.75			95,048.75			
	B-General Bonds	127,392.50			127,392.50			
	C-Assessment Bonds	22,820.00			22,820.00			
40	Interest on Improvement & Assessment Notes (1932-$600,000.00)	31,000.00			26,863.85		3,240.00	896.15
41-a	Payment of Emergency Unemployment Notes, Chapter 272-P L. 1930	12,000.00				12,000.00		
42	Payment of Improvement Notes & City's Share of Local Improvements	5,000.00					5,000.00	
	OTHER PURPOSES							
43	Contingent	11,000.00			6,220.96		300.00	4,479.04
44	Memorial Day	400.00	2.50		402.50			
45	Election Expenses	1,200.00			1,160.41			39.59
46	Fire Insurance	1,200.00			837.82			362.18
47	Auto: Liability & Property Damage							
	A-Insurance-1931 Emergency	5,000.00				5,000.00		
	B 1932 Premium	6,000.00			3,236.88			2,763.12
49	Remission of Uncollectible Taxes	22,000.00				22,000.00		
50	Reserve for Assessment Liens	15,000.00				15,000.00		
51	To reserve charge 1930 Dependency Relief from Contingent Account	3,284.78				3,284.78		
52	Plainfield Public Library	28,500.00			28,500.00			
	Total City Appropriation	$1,322,781.03	$2,842.14	$2,842.14	$1,192,951.25	$64,784.78	$46,429.99	$18,615.01
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	Plainfield Public Schools	693,032.00			$315,000.00		$378,032.00	
					A 1		A	

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATION RESERVES

Index	For Year 1928	Reserved Jan. 1, 1932	Disbursed	Reserved Dec. 31, 1932	Balance to Surplus	Over expenditures To Deferred Charges
16-C	Traffic Signal System	$ 15,290.19				
	Amount added by 1931 Report Audit (J-235)	158.40	$ 513.83	$14,934.76		
		$ 15,448.59	513.83	14,934.76		
		A	A-1	A		
	FOR YEAR 1931					
2	Office Expenses Supplies, etc	$ 200.00	$ 101.95		$ 98.05	
3	Printing & Advertising	74.14	24.14		50.00	
4	Auditing	995.00	995.00			
5	Bond Issue Expense	1,600.00	135.00		1,465.00	
7	Tax Department	351.90	198.31		153.59	
8	Board of Assessors	139.25	26.17		113.08	
8 A	New Tax Map	258.44	175.73		82.71	
9	Department of Finance	50.00	8.00		42.00	
11	Maintenance City Hall	667.66	469.02		198.64	
12	Building Department	100.00	30.47		69.53	
14	Board of Adjustment	75.00	52.66		22.34	
16	Police Department					
A	Salaries & Wages	356.81	350.49		6.32	
B	Maintenance	1,322.26	1,157.20		165.06	
17	Fire Department					
A	Salaries & Wages	195.83	195.83			
B	Maintenance	1,167.67	951.37		216.30	
C	Fire & Police Signal System	362.15	197.85		164.30	
F	Underground Signal System	1,000.00	102.16		897.84	
19	Rental of Fire Hydrants	15,373.45	15,373.45			
20	Traffic Signs & Road Markings	150.00	75.05		74.95	
21	Board of Health	1,162.70	1,063.29		99.41	
22	Dog Pound Expense	85.00	76.00		9.00	
23	Poor Department	752.84	857.58			$104.74
26	City Court	130.00	89.75		40.25	
28	Streets & Sewers	5,202.15	4,705.81		496.34	
29	Shade Tree Commission	452.30	370.68		81.62	
30	Street Lighting	4,642.44	4,642.44			
35	Recreation Commission	481.51	99.11		382.40	
42	Payment of Imp. Notes & City's Share of Improvement Costs	45,000.00	1,909.51	43,090.49		
43	Contingent	1,000.00	360.00		640.00	
51	Plainfield Public Library	4,500.00	4,500.00			
		$ 87,848.50	$ 39,294.02	$43,090.49	$5,568.73	$104.74
52	Public Schools	$374,123.00	$374,123.00			
		A	A-1	A	A-22	A-15

STATEMENT OF EMERGENCY REVENUES 1932

Items	Balances Jan. 1, 1932	Authorized in 1932	Total 1932	Contribution by State of New Jersey	Due from State of New Jersey	1932 Budget Appropriation	Obligations Paid from Appr. Funds	Balance Deferred Charges Dec. 31, 1932
Repairs to Fire Headquarters Building	$ 7,500.00		$ 7,500.00			$ 7,500.00		
1931 Auto Liability Property Damage Insurance	5,000.00		5,000.00			5,000.00		
EMERGENCY RELIEF								
Chapter 387—P. L. 1931	14,000.00		14,000.00			12,000.00		$ 2,000.00
Chapter 400—P. L. 1931—Work	31,000.00	$106,527.00	137,527.00	$45,496.14			$30.03	92,000.83
Chapter 398—P. L. 1931 Dependency	6,000.00	88,299.69	94,299.69	38,392.24	17,636.27			38,271.18
	$63,500.00	$194,826.69	$258,326.69	$83,888.38	$17,636.27	$24,500.00	$30.03	$132,272.01
	A			A-1	A	A-8	A-14	A

STATEMENT OF EMERGENCY APPROPRIATIONS & EXPENDITURES AND RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

Account No.	PURPOSE	Unexpended Balance 1-1-32	Authorized by Issue of Emergency Notes	Contributions	Total Credits	EXPENDITURES: Cash Direct	EXPENDITURES: Commitments	EXPENDITURES: Payment on Account Notes	EXPENDITURES: Total Disbursements	Balance Carried DEFICIT	Balance to Surplus Revenue Account
57	Unemployment Relief Chapter 387	$ 183.34			$ 183.34	$ 183.34			$ 183.34		
58	Employment Relief Chap. 400, P. L. 1931	21,198.84	$106,527.00	$ 303.00	128,028.84	127,998.81		30.03	128,028.84		
59	Dependency Relief Chap. 398 P. L. 1931										
	Jan. 1 to June 30	4,036.96	43,799.69		47,836.65	37,708.24			37,708.24		
	For Month of July					814.25	$ 9,314.16		10,128.41		
	Aug. 1 to Dec. 31—State Rules & Regulations No. 10		44,500.00		44,500.00	10,799.21	34,816.37		45 615.58	**$1,115.58**	
	Community Chest			1,900.00	1,900.00	1,952.50			1,952.50	**52.50**	
	Save Your Pennies Campaign For Milk Fund			673.00	673.00					673.00	
	John Y. Broeck—Emergency Relief Fund			32.53	32.53					32.53	
		$25,419.14	$194,826.69	$2,908.53	$223,154.36	$179,456.35	$44,130.53	$30.03	$223,616.91	$ 705.53 **$1,168.08**	
55	Repairs to Fire Hdqts. Bldg.	5,062.12			5,062.12	4,519.88			4,519.88		$542.24
		$30,481.26	$194,826.69	$2,908.53	$228,216.48	$183,976.23	$44,130.53	$30.03	$228,136.79	$ 705.53 **$1,168.08**	$542.24
		A	A-1	A-1					A	A-1	A-22

	SUMMARY		
A	Balance 1-1-32	$ 30,481.26	
A1	Emergency Notes Issued	194,826.69	
A1	Contributions	2,908.53	
			$228,216.48
	EXPENDITURES		
	Cash Direct	$183,976.23	
	Commitments	44,130.53	
	Payment on Notes	30.03	
A1		$228,136.79	
A	Cash Balance 12-31-32	705.53	
A22	Balance to Surplus	542.24	
		$229,384.56	
A	Less Deficit 12-31-32	1,168.08	
			$228,216.48

ANALYSIS OF CHARGES RELIEF ORDER COMMITMENTS

RELIEF ORDERS ISSUED BY		Total	Monthly Total	Dependency Relief	No. 23 Poor Account	Ord. 1025 Cedar Brook	No. 12 Building Dept.	No. 35 Recreation Comm.	No. 11 City Hall Maintenance	No. 16B Police Maint. & Repair to Bld.	No. 43 Cont. Snow Removal
July Acct.	Relief Adm. 398	$ 7,926.76		$ 7,926.76							
	Overseer of Poor 23	546.78			$ 546.78						
	C. O. S. 6-27 to 4-2	1,387.40		1,387.40							
	Poor Orders Amt. 7-1-32	146.00			146.00						
			$10,006.94								
Aug. Acct.	Relief Orders	13,464.27	13,464.27	8,325.34	584.50	$ 4,554.43					
Sept. 15	Relief Orders	6,096.80		2,402.14		3,694.66					
" 30	" "	5,980.43	12,077.23	2,344.94		3,635.49					
Oct. 15	" "	5,854.72		1,743.05		4,073.04	$9.00	$15.00	$14.63		
" 31	" "	7,197.00	13,051.72	1,969.35		5,227.65					
Nov. 15	" "	6,900.46		3,163.29		3,605.46				$131.71	
" 30	" "	7,478.19	14,378.65	1,614.37		5,815.82				48.00	
Dec. 15	" "	10,321.09		6,043.68		4,259.78				17.63	
" 31	" "	10,743.15	21,064.24	6,511.73		4,033.40					$198.02
Dec. 24	Day omitted on schedule	698.48	698.48	698.48							
	Total Commitments		$84,741.53	$44,130.53	$1,277.28	$38,899.73	$9.00	$15.00	$14.63	$197.34	$198.02

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COMMITMENT CHARGES
1932 BUDGET APPROPRIATION ACCOUNTS

11	Maintenance City Hall	$ 14.63
12	Bldg. Department	9.00
16B	Police Maintenance & Repairs	197.34
23	Poor Department	1,277.28
35	Recreation Commission	15.00
43	Contingent Snow Removal	198.02
		$ 1,711.27
398	Dependency Relief	44,130.53
Ord. 1025	Cedar Brook Storm Sewer	38,899.73
A-1	Total Orders Issued	$84,741.53
A-1	Relief Orders paid	69,040.85
A	Balance Orders Payable 12-31-32	$15,700.68

STATEMENT OF EMERGENCY NOTES

	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1932	Issued in 1932	Paid in 1932	Outstanding Dec. 31, 1932
Repairs to Fire Hdqts. Bldg.	$ 7,500.00		$ 7,500.00	
Auto Liability & Property Damage Insurance	5,000.00		5,000.00	
Emergency Relief				
Chapter 387—1931	14,000.00		12,274.53	$ 1,725.47
Chapter 400 P. L. 1931	31,000.00	$106,527.00	45,526.17	92,000.83
Chapter 398 P. L. 1931	6,000.00	88,299.69	38,117.71	56,181.98
	$63,500.00	$194,826.69	$108,418.41	$149,908.28
	A	A-1	A-1	A

NOTES OUTSTANDING Dec. 31, 1932

No.	Account	Amount	
78	400	$10,473.83	Balance
79	400	25,000.00	
83	400	15,000.00	
86	400	41,527.00	
Total			$ 92,000.83
80	398	1,382.29	Balance
81	398	5,000.00	
84	398	7,658.64	
85	398	5,000.00	
87	398	7,500.00	
92	398	1,141.05	
93	398	8,000.00	
100	398	8,500.00	
101	398	12,000.00	56,181.98
91	387	Balance	1,725.47
			$149,908.28

Current Account A-15

STATEMENT OF DEFERRED CHARGES

Items		Charges Journal	Charges Cash
A	Balance 1-1-32	$ 50.00	
A4	Statement of Remission of Taxes (Recharge 1931)	128.10	
A3	Statement of Taxes	69.64	
A1	Refund on Local Imp. Ord. 290		
	Block 399A—Lot 1A		$113.25
A22	Adjustments as per Report of Audit for 1931	183.66	
A7	Accounts Receivable	129.16	
A10	Overexpenditure 1931		
	Appropriation Reserve	104.74	
	Journal Charges	$ 665.30	
	Cash Charges	113.25	$113.25
A	Total Deferred Charges	$ 778.55	

Current Account A-16

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT DUE TRUST

Index

Statement of Assessments for benefits sold and purchased by City of Plainfield and added to Tax Title Liens.

		Dr.	Cr.
A	Balance 1-1-32 Due Trust Acct.		$36,525.85
A1	Paid to Trust Account 1932	$36,525.85	
A6 & C	Assessments sold to City Dec. 28, 1932 and added to Tax Title Liens Dec. 31, 1932		26,720.86
A	Due Trust from Current	26,720.86	
		$63,246.71	$63,246.71

Current Account A-17

STATEMENT OF FEES FOR THE COLLECTION OF DELINQUENT TAXES

Index			
A1	Fees and Commissions turned over to City Treasurer		$1,267.40
A1	Paid to Collectors of Delinquent Taxes		
	Isadore Lavine	$616.25	
	Chas. Bevan	581.33	
	George York	22.93	
	Refund to Anna Fleming	.97	1,221.48
A	Balance 12-31-32		$ 45.92

Current Account A-18

STATEMENT OF TAX NOTES

TAX REVENUE NOTES

Index			
A	Outstanding 1-1-32	$ 44,100.00	
A1	Issued in 1932	436,000.00	
			480 100.00
A1	Paid in 1932	280,100.00	
A	Outstanding 12-31-32	200,000.00	480,100.00

SCHEDULE OF NOTES OUTSTANDING DEC. 31, 1932.

No.	Date	Due	To Whom Payable	Amount
124	12-15-32	3-15-33	Plainfield Trust Co.	$200,000.00

Current Account A-19

STATEMENT OF SUSPENSE ACCOUNT AND SUNDRY ACCOUNTS PAYABLE

Index	SUSPENSE ACCOUNT		
A	Balance 1-1-32		$294.59
	Added items in 1932		
A1	From John C. Dilts—transfer from Collectors Special Account		40.40
A15	Charge to Robert L. Lee from Collectors Special Account		103.33
A1	John C. Dilts, acting Collector, Unidentified Cash received by mail		5.00
A	Balance 12-31-32	$443.32	
		$443.32	$443.32
	SUNDRY ACCOUNTS PAYABLE		
	Balance Insurance fund—Damage to Street Roller		$15.00
	Balance Due Geo. B. Wean		2.50
A	Jan. 1, 1932. Balance		$17.50
A1	Muhlenberg Hospital Cash for E. A. Squibb		$12.00
A22	Building Department Credit for Overpayment of Revenues to City Treasurer as Report of Audit 1931		3.00
	Payments to		
A1	E. R. Squibb Cash	$ 12.00	
A1	Geo. B. Wean Cash	2.50	
A22	Transfer of Insurance fund to Surplus Revenue	15.00	
A	Balance 12-31-32	3.00	
		$32.50	$32.50

Current Acount A-20

STATEMENT OF OVERPEYMENT OF TAXES

Index		Dr.	Cr.
A	Balance 1-1-32		$329.95
A22	Dec. 15, 1932 Transferred to Surplus by Resolution of Common Council	$329.95	
A1	1932 Overpayments		38.11
A1	1932 Refunds of Overpayments	23.72	
A	Balance 12-31-32	14.39	
		$368.06	$368.06

Current Account A-21

STATEMENT OF UNEXPENDED BALANCES ACCOUNT AND SURPLUS REVENUE.

Index	UNEXPENDED BALANCES ACCOUNT	Dr.	Cr.
A9	1932 Appropriation Balances		$18,615.01
A8	1932 Excess Tax Revenue		1,228.09
A4	Balance Account—Remission of Taxes	$ 16,143.56	
A22	Balance to Surplus Revenue	3,699.54	
		$ 19,843.10	$19,843.10

Current Account A-22

	SURPLUS REVENUE ACCOUNT		
A	Balance 1-1-32		303,397.29
A8	Surplus Revenues Appro. 1932	$ 78,284.78	
A10-15	Adjustment Charges as per 1931		
A19	Report of Audit	161.40	183.66
A	Reserve for Accounts Receivable		500.05
A10	1931 Appropriation Balances		5,568.73
A12	Balance Emerg. Appro. for repairs to Fire Dept. Hdqts.		542.24
A1	Recharge 1931 Interest on Assessment Check deposited Dec. 1931—Retd. N.G. Jan. 1932	873.76	
A9	1932 Appro. item No. 51		3,284.78
A1	City Clerk—1931 Dog License (Cash)		5.00
A3	Added Taxes 1926—1930 & 1931		290.94
A8	Excess Misc. Revenues		51,004.65
A8	Misc. Revenues Not Anticipated		5,246.71
A6	Interest & Costs added to Tax Sale Certificates		9,087.71
A21	Unexpended Balances Account		3,699.54
A19	Balance Insurance Street Roller Acct.		15.00
A20	Overpayment of Taxes prior to 1932		329.95
	To Correct Refund on Taxes Acct.		104.45
	Credit Interest on Taxes Correction		.01
	Balance 12-31-32	303,940.77	
		$383,260.71	$383,260.71

Capital Account Exhibit B

BALANCE SHEET AS AT

		January 1, 1932	December 31 1932
B1	Cash	$ 4,137.84	$ 40,512.17
B2	Imp. authorized and Uncompleted	880,500.00	505,000.00
B3	Cost of Improvements in Progress	331,933.69	237,746.81
B6	Amt. to be raised by future Taxation	4,705,536.85	4,650,462.01
B5	Amt. in Sinking Fund pledged to payment of Term Bonds	208,767.04	213,670.74
	Joint Sewer Commission	6,800.00	6,800.00
	Borough of Fanwood		18,000.00
	Borough of Fanwood Joint Meeting		17,952.00
		$6,137,675.42	$5,690,143.73
B2	Ordinance Imp. Appropriations	880,500.00	505,000.00
B-5-1	Inspection Private Sewer	347.76	
B-5-2	Sale Municipal Lands		2,500.00
	Joint Meeting Sewer	6,800.00	6,800.00
	Reserve for the Payment of Sewer Bonds		35,952.00
B4	Improvement Notes		
	Streets	26,227.66	3,910.80
	Sewers	298,600.00	408,980.93
	General	7,200.00	
	Bonds Oustanding		
B71-	School Term	306,000.00	304,000.00
B7-1	" Serial	1,814,000.00	1,736,000.00
B7-2	General Term	121,000.00	111,000.00
B7-2	" Serial	2,677,000.00	2,576,000.00
		$6,137,675.42	$5,690,143.73

Capital Account Exhibit B-1

RECEIPTS & DISBURSEMENTS 1932

RECEIPTS

B	Balance 1-1-32		$ 4,137.84	
B5	From Sinking Fund for payment of Term Bonds	$ 12,000.00		
B5-1	Deposits Private Sewer	100.00		
B5-2	Sale of Municipal Lands			
	East 2nd Street	2,500.00		
	From Sale of Notes			
B1-A	Street Improvement	1,683.14		
B1-A	Sewer Improvement	408,980.93		
B1-A	Assessment	41,320.94		
B1-A	From Budget Appro. to pay Improvement Notes	1,909.51	468,494.52	
				$472,632.36

DISBURSEMENTS

B1-A	Payment of Improvement Costs	$ 87,137.87		
B6-A	Payment of Improvement Notes	329,800.00		
B6-1	Payment of Retain Percentage	2,657.44		
B6-1	Payment of Interest Reserve	77.12		
B5	Payment of Term Bonds	12,000.00		
B5-1	Private Sewer	447.76		
			$432,120.19	
B	Cash Balance 12-31-32		40,512.17	
				$472,632.36

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE SINKING FUND COMMISSION INHABITANTS OF THE CITY OF PLAINFIELD, NEW JERSEY

December 31st, 1932

RECEIPTS

Balance, January 1, 1932		$ 50.36
Interest	$ 13,604.70	
Assessment funds from City	81,557.91	
City Plainfield Appropriation	3,300.00	
City Plainfield Notes Paid	417,663.07	516,124.68
		$516,175.04

DISBURSEMENTS

City Plainfield Notes Purchased	$381,311.70	
Paid City Plainfield for maturing Bonds	12,000.00	
Assessment Funds Returned to City	110,000.00	$503,311.70
Balance December 31st, 1932		$ 12,863.34

ASSETS

Cash	$ 12,863.34
Investments	367,532.51
	$380,395.85

LIABILITIES

Sinking Fund Requirements as per Law	$177,912.57
Local Improvement Account	166,725.11
Surplus	35,758.17
	$380,295.85

SINKING FUND INVESTMENTS

December 31st, 1932

Cash			$ 12,863.34
City of Plainfield Bonds:			
School 4½%	July 1,	1908	$ 4,000.00
School 4%	Nov. 1,	1909	8,000.00
School 4%	July 1,	1911	8,000.00
School 4½%	Mar. 1,	1915	3,000.00
School 4½%	July 1,	1924	6,000.00
School 4½%	June 1,	1925	9,000.00
Sewer 4%	Nov. 1,	1909	1,000.00
Joint Sewer 5%	April 1,	1914	1,000.00
Public Improvement 4½%	Nov. 1,	1924	2,000.00
City of Plainfield Demand Notes,			325,532.51
			$380,395.85

SINKING FUND COMMISSION OF THE INHABITANTS
OF THE CITY OF PLAINFIELD
December 31st, 1932

JOSEPH W. SANDFORD,
President

ARTHUR E. CRONE,
Treasurer

PENSION COMMISSION, CITY OF PLAINFIELD, N. J.
TREASURER'S ANNUAL REPORT
December 31, 1932

RECEIPTS

Cash Balance—January 1, 1932			$ 8,967.98
City of Plainfield Salary Percentages		$ 5,575.09	
City of Plainfield Appropriation		11,440.00	
Mortgage Reduction		50.00	
Mortgage Participation Certificates Matured		8,000.00	
Interest—Mortgage	$2,436.66		
Mortgage Participation Certificates	2,420.00		
Municipal Bonds	371.25		
Bank Balance	88.05		
		5,315.96	
Tax from Insurance Companies		2,499.69	
Donations		60.00	
Fines		20.00	
Special Police Officers' Badges returned		15.00	
Anticipated Par Realization of Bonds purchased below Par		100.74	
			33,076.48
			$ 42,044.46

DISBURSEMENTS

Police and Fire Pensions	$ 17,512.75*	
Printing and Postage	24.75	
Safe Deposit Box Rental	30.00	
County of Union Bonds Purchased	6,000.00	
City of Plainfield Bonds Purchased	8,000.00	
Accrued Interest on Bonds	280.48	
Premium on Bonds Purchased above Par	178.33	
City of Plainfield Note Purchased	8,500.00	
Taxes advanced on Mortgaged Property	236.58	
		40,762.89
Cash Balance December 31, 1932		$ 1,281.57

VALUE OF PENSION FUND

Cash	$ 1,281.57
Mortgages	42,250.00
Mortgage Participation Certificates	40,000.00
County of Union 6% Bonds due 1938	6,000.00
City of Plainfield 4¾% and 5% Bonds due 1935, 1936 and 1946	8,000.00
City of Plainfield 5¾% Note on Demand	8,500.00
	$106,031.57
Less Edgerton Fund Participation	7,880.38
Value of Pension Fund December 31, 1932	$ 98,151.19
Value of Pension Fund December 31, 1931	91,772.60
Gain for 1932	$ 6,378.59

*List of Pensions

James A. Saunders	$ 588.00	
Nicholas Myers	34.77	
Anna Frederickson	661.50	
Bridget Vanderweg	550.00	
Nora Sweeney	550.00	
Abbie E. Doane	1,000.00	
Anna B. Mehl	882.00	
Geo. H. Feiring	1,421.00	
Griffen H. Freeman	950.00	
William Gaub	931.00	
Alice F. Kelly	1,000.00	
Mary L. Vail	1,000.00	
Meta M. McAvoy	1,000.00	
Mary A. Higgins	1,000.00	
Dennis F. O'Keefe	1,225.00	
John J. Flynn	2,205.00	
Catherine V. Quinn	1,000.00	
Mary L. Kiely	1,000.00	
Octavia A. Myers	514.48	
		$ 17,512.75

December 31, 1932.

ARTHUR E. CRONE
Treasurer

COLLECTOR OF TAXES

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR 1932

1925 Taxes, Personal	$ 21.78		
1926 Taxes, Personal	20.94		
1927 Taxes, Personal	22.86		
1928 Taxes, Real Estate	1.00		
1928 Taxes, Personal	144.77		
1929 Taxes, Real Estate	18.14		
1929 Taxes, Personal	481.00		
1930 Taxes, Real Estate	2,738.41		
1930 Taxes, Personal	2,013.66		
1931 Taxes, Real Estate	598,032.17		
1931 Taxes, Personal	39,325.65		
1932 Taxes, Real Estate	1,360,715.32		
1932 Taxes, Personal	181,998.04		
2nd Class Railroad Tax	7,645.13		
Bank Stock Tax	9,435.64		
Tax Title Liens	54,985.02		
Franchise Taxes	87,479.89		
Gross Receipts Taxes	25,292.99		
		2,370,372.41	

OVERPAYMENT OF TAXES

1931 Taxes, Real Estate	$ 5.00		
1931 Taxes, Personal	23.70		
1932 Taxes, Real Estate	102.65		
1932 Taxes, Personal	11.21		
		142.56	
Snow & Ice Removal	62.56		
Shade Tree Commission	187.26		
		249.82	
Street Assessments	114,844.57		
Sewer Assessments	9,665.17		
Curbs & Sidewalks	4,485.68		
		128,995.42	
Search Fees	1,060.65		
		1,060.65	
Interest on Taxes	51,563.81		
Interest on Assessments	24,335.12		
		75,898.93	
Unidentified Cash	5.00		
		5.00	
			$2,576,724.79

Plainfield, N. J.
March 20, 1933

JOHN C. DILTS,
Acting Collector

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS

Plainfield, N. J., December 31, 1932

To the Honorable, the Mayor and The Common Council
of the City of Plainfield, New Jersey.

Gentlemen:

I beg to submit herewith the Annual Report of the Assessor's Department, showing the finding of assessable values for the year 1933, as of October 1st, 1932, together with a few statistics for the taxable year 1932 for comparison:

First Ward

Assessed value of land	$ 5,408,900	
Exemption on land	310,475	
		$ 5,098.425
Assessed value of buildings	7,619,350	
Exemption on buildings	648,950	
		6,970,400
Assessed value of personal	1,836,825	
Exemption on personal	126,950	
		1,709,875
Total Net assessed value, 1st Ward		$13,778,700

Second Ward

Assessed value of land	$ 5,997,400	
Exemption on land	288,225	
		$ 5,709,175
Assessed value of buildings	13,919,450	
Exemption on buildings	1,863,525	
		12,055,925
Assessed value of personal	2,305,425	
Exemption on personal	274,250	
		2,031,175
Total Net assessed value, 2nd Ward		$19,796,275

Third Ward

Assessed value of land	$ 4,387,125	
Exemption on land	347,875	
		4,039,250
Assessed value of buildings	10,834,225	
Exemption on buildings	1,783,950	
		9,050,275
Assessed value of personal	1,013,550	
Exemption on personal	241,800	
		771,750
Total Net assessed value, 3rd Ward		$13,861,275

Fourth Ward

Assessed value of land	$ 4,814,925	
Exemption on land	259,750	
		$ 4,555,175
Assessed value of buildings	9,476,500	
Exemption on buildings	611,975	
		8,864,525
Assessed value of personal	1,928,525	
Exemption on personal	185,950	
		1,742,575
Total Net assessed value, 4th Ward		$15,162,275

Recapitulation—Net Assessed Values for 1933

Land, all Wards	$19,402,025	
Buildings, all Wards	36,941,125	
Personal, all Wards	6,255,375	
		$62,598,525
2nd Class Railways		303,433
Net total for 1933		62,901,958
Net total for 1932		63,304,180
Net decrease for 1933		$ 402,222

Break-up of Land, Buildings and Personal—1933 Net Values

Ward	Land	Buildings	Personal	Total Net
First Ward	$ 5,098,425	$ 6,970,400	$ 1,709,875	$13,778,700
Second Ward	5,709,175	12,055,925	2,031,175	19,796,275
Third Ward	4,039,250	9,050,275	771,750	13,861,275
Fourth Ward	4,555,175	8,864,525	1,742,575	15,162,275
	$19,402,025	36,941,125	$ 6,255,375	$62,598,525

VALUATION COMPARISON BY WARDS

	Land	Buildings	Personal
First Ward			
1933	$ 5,098,425	$ 6,970,400	$ 1,709,875
1932	5,105,550	7,044,250	1,628,225
Decrease	$ 7,125	$ 73,850	*$ 81,650
Second Ward			
1933	$ 5,709,175	$ 12,055,925	$ 2,031,175
1932	5,736,325	11,957,500	2,095,950
Decrease	$ 27,150	*$ 98,425	$ 64,775
THIRD WARD			
1933	$ 4,039,250	$ 9,050,275	$ 771,750
1932	4,026,050	8,980,300	800,600
Decrease	*$ 13,200	*$ 69,975	$ 28,850
Fourth Ward			
1933	$ 4,555,175	$ 8,864,525	$ 1,742,575
1932	4,597,000	9,071,600	1,957,500
Decrease	$ 41,825	$ 207,075	$ 214,925

*Increase

VALUATION DECREASES BY WARDS OVER 1932

Ward	Land	Buildings	Personal	Total
First Ward	$ 7,125	$ 73,850	*$ 81,650	*$ 675
Second Ward	27,150	* 98,425	64,775	* 6,500
Third Ward	* 13,200	* 69,975	28,850	* 54,325
Fourth Ward	41,825	207,075	214,925	463,825
Total	$ 62,900	$112,525	$226,900	$402,325

* Increase

Net Decrease Land	$ 62,900
Net Decrease Buildings	112,525
Net Decrease Personal	226,900
	$402,325
Increase 2nd Class Railways	103
Total Net Decrease for 1933	$402,222

The following is a record of the assessed valuations on Taxable New Construction for the year 1933, and losses sustained during the year through the demolition of buildings heretofore assessed:

Ward	Increase	Loss	Net Increase
First Ward	$ 44,100	$ 4,200	$ 39,900
Second Ward	220,800	6,475	214,325
Third Ward	* 42,400	11,100	* 53,500
Fourth Ward	36,400	16,125	20,275
Total	$258,900	$ 37,900	$221,000

NUMBER OF POLLS ASSESSED

Ward	1932	1933	Increase for 1933
First Ward	1,244	1,194	* 50
Second Ward	1,928	2,136	208
Third Ward	1,722	1,695	* 27
Fourth Ward	1,744	1,765	21
Total	6,638	6,790	152

* Decrease

The sharp falling off of new construction during the year naturally is reflected in the figures of this Department and is largely responsible for the net decrease in taxable valuations for the year. In normal times this new construction added very materially to our ratables, and not only offset losses sustained through annual valuation adjustments on both realty and personal property, but in addition, gave us substantial net increases.

Respectfully submitted,

BOARD OF ASSESSORS

CHARLES A. PETERSON
Chairman.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS 1933

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RUFUS C. LAREW

CLARENCE BROUARD

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF IMPROVEMENT ACCOUNTS

Ord.	Purpose	Balance 1-1-32	From Notes Issued	From Budget Appropriation	Total Receipts	Disbursements Account Imp. Cash	DISBURSEMENTS Costs Journal	Payment Notes	Payment of Retained Percentage	Total Disbursement	Balance 12-31-32
297	Imp. of Carnegie Ave.	$ 1,658.83	$ 13,885.30		15,544.13	266.04	$ 1,278.09	$ 14,000.00	$1,278.09	$ 15,544.13	
299	Imp. of Grant Ave.	606.28	10,392.49	106.82	11,105.59	266.68	838.91	10,000.00	838.91	11,105.59	
300	Imp. of South End Parkway	135.89			135.89	39.77				39.77	96.12
1026	Widening Cleveland Ave.			30.88	30.88	30.88				30.88	
296	Sanitary Sewer Field Ave.	528.15	5,070.58	486.10	6,084.83	484.83		5,600.00		6,084.83	
298	Sanitary Sewer South End Pkwy.	516.68	7,254.06		7,770.74	593.62	77.12	7,100.00(Int. 77.12)		7,770.74	
1019	West End Storm Sewer	158.98			158.98						158.98
1023	Second Section Cedar Brook Storm Sewer	283.39	200,000.00		199,716.61	2,673.79		160,900.00		163,573.79	36,142.82
1024	West end Sewer—2nd Section	415.58	133,980.93		134.396.51	9,396.51		125,000.00		134,396.51	
1025	3rd Sect. Cedar Brook Storm Sewer		75,000.00		75,000.00	73,385.75				73,385.75	1,614.25
	1931 Sidewalks	53.08	6,401.65	1,285.71	7,740.44		540.44	7,200.00	540.44	7,740.44	
		$ 3,790.08	$451,985.01	$1,909.51	$457,684.60	$87,137.87		$329,800.00	$2,657.44	$419,672.43	$38,012.17
									Int. 77.12		
						Journal Charges	$ 2,734.56				
			B1	B		B1	B3	B1	B1		

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AUTHORIZED COMPLETED AND UNCOMPLETED — 1932

Ord. No.	Improvements	Jan. 1, 1932 Authorized Improvement	Authorized In 1932	Assessed to Property Owners	Charge to City	Appropriation Balances Cancelled	Improvements Uncompleted Dec. 31, 1932	Est. Amt. to be Assessed or Contributed
	STREETS							
294	Carnegie Ave. Improvement	$ 15,000.00				$ 15,000.00	Superseded by Ord. 297	
297	Carnegie Ave. Improvement 6-16-31	23,000.00		12,202.16	$3,310.80	7,487.04		
299	Grant Ave. Improvement 6-2-31	18,000.00		10,392.49	106.82	7,500.69		
300	South End Pkway. Imp. 9-8-31	50,000.00					50,000.00	
1020	Widening of Park Ave. 4-21-30	2,500.00			491.97	2,008.03		
1026	Widening of Cleveland Ave. 10-3-32		40.00		30.88	9.12		
	SEWER							
296	Field Ave. Sewer 4-21-31	12,000.00		5,070.58	486.10	6,443.32		
298	South End Pkwy. Sewer 8-4-31	15,000.00		7,254.06		7,745.94		
1023	2nd Sec. Cedar Brook Storm Sewer 9-3-30	320,000 00					320,000.00	
1024	2nd Sec. West End Storm Sewer 12-3-30	225,000.00			133,980.93	91,019.07		
1025	3rd Sec Cedar Brook Storm Sewer 9-6-32		135,000.00				135,000.00	
	1931 Sidewalk Account 8-4-31	25,000.00		6,401.65	1,285.71	17,312.64		
	Incinerator 10-8-29	175,000.00			3,045.16	171,954.84		
		$880 500.00	$135,040.00	$ 41,320.94	$142,738.37	$326,480.69	$505,000.00	
		B		C-4	B-6		B	

STATEMENT OF IMPROVEMENT IN PROGRESS — 1932

Ord. No.	Improvement	Cost in Progress Jan. 1, 1932	Added Cash Disbursement	Cost Journal	Total Cost 1932	Cost in Progress Dec. 31, 1932	Assessed to Property Owners	City's Share In future Taxation
	STREETS							
297	Improvement of Carnegie Ave.	$13,968.83	$ 266.04	$ 1,278.09	$ 15,512.96		$12,202.16	$ 3,310.80
299	Improvement of Grant Ave.	9 393.72	266.68	838.91	10,499.31		10,392.49	106.82
300	Imp. of South End Pkway	464.11	39.77		503.88	503.88		
1020	Widening of Park Ave.	491.97			491.97			491.97
1026	Widening of Cleveland Ave.		30.88		30.88			30.88
	SEWERS							
296	Sanitary Sewer Field Ave.	5,071.85	484.83		5,556.68		5,070.58	486.10
298	Sanitary Sewer South End Pkway.	6,583.32	593.62	77.12	7,254.06		7,254.06	
1023	2nd Sec. Cedarbrook Storm Sewer	161,183.39	2,673.79		163,857.18	163,857.18		
1024	2nd Sec. West End Storm Sewer	124,584.42	9,396.51		133,980.93			133,980.93
1025	3rd Sec. Cedarbrook Storm Sewer		73,385.75		73,385.75	73,385.75		
	Incinerator	3,045.16			3,045.16			3,045.16
	1931 Sidewalks	7,146.92		540.44	7,687.36		6,401.65	1,285.71
		$331,933.69	$ 87,137.87	$ 2,734.56	$421,806.12	$237,746.81	$41,320.94	$142,738.37
		B	B-1	B-1A		B	C	B-6

STATEMENT OF IMPROVEMENT NOTES

Ord. No.	Improvements	Outstanding Dec. 1, 1932	Issued in 1932	Renewals in 1932	PAYMENTS of Renewals	PAYMENTS of Notes	Outstanding Dec. 31, 1932	ANALYSIS OF NOTES Capital	ANALYSIS OF NOTES Assessment
	STREETS								
297	Carnegie Ave. Improvement	$ 15,627.66	$ 13,885.30			$ 14,000.00	$ 15,512.96	$ 3,310.80	$ 12,202.16
299	Grant Avenue Improvement	10,000.00				10,000.00			
300	South End Pkway.	600.00					600.00		
296	Sanitary Sewer Field Ave.	5,600.00				5,600.00			
298	Sanitary Sewer South End Pkway.	7,100.00				7,100.00			
1023	2nd Sec. Cedar Brook Storm Sewer	160,900.00	39,100.00	160,900.00	160,900.00		200,000.00		
1024	2nd Sec. West End Storm Sewer	125,000.00	8,980.93	125,000.00	125,000.00		133,980.93		
1025	3rd Sec. Cedar Brook Storm Sewer		75,000.00				75,000.00		
1931	Sidewalk Account	7,200.00				7,200.00			
		$332,027.66	$136,966.23	$285,900.00	$285,900.00	$ 43,900.00	$425,093.89		
	Less Trust		12,202.16				12,202.16		
			$124,764.07				$412,891.73		
		B	B-1	B-1	B-1	B1-	B		

Capital Account B-5

STATEMENT OF FUNDS IN SINKING FUND PLEDGED TO THE PAYMENT OF TERM BONDS

		DR.	CR.
B	Balance Jan. 1, 1932	$208,767.04	
	Add		
B-6	1932 Contribution	3,300.00	
B-6	1932 Revenues	13,603.70	
B-7-1	Payment of Term Bonds		12,000.00
B	Balance Dec. 31, 1932		213,670.74
		$225,670.74	$225,670.74

Capital Account B-5-1

PRIVATE SEWER INSPECTION

	Balance 1-1-32	Deposits 1932	Payments & Refunds	Balance 12-31-32
Grosset & Dunlap Inc.	$347.76		$347.76	
Harry Taub	---	$100.00	100.00	
	$347.76	$100.00	$447.76	
	B	B-1	B-1	

Capital Acount B-5-2

SALE OF MUNICIPAL PROPERTY

		Cash Dr.	Account Cr.
Dec. 1, 1932 Received from			
B-1	Sale of Land rear 141-153 East Second Street	$ 2,500.00	
B	Balance 12-31-32		$ 2,500.00

Capital Account B-6

STATEMENT OF AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY FUTURE TAXATION

			Dr.	Cr.
B	Balance 1-1-32		$4,705,536.85	
B-2	Improvement Costs Charged to City		142,738.37	
B-1	Paid from 1931 Budget Appropriation			$ 1,909.51
	Payment of Serial Bonds			
B7-1	School	$ 78,000.00		
B7-2	General	101,000.00		179,000.00
B-5	Increase in Sinking Fund Pledge to Term Bonds			16,903.70
B	Balance 12-31-32			4,650,462.01
			$4,848,275.22	$4,848,275.22

Capital Account B-6-1

STATEMENT OF RETAINED PERCENTAGES

Ord. No.	Improvement	Balance 1-1-32	Added in 1932	Paid in 1932	Balance 12-31-32
299	Imp. of Grant Ave.	$	$ 838.91	$ 838.91	$
297	Imp. of Carnegie Ave.		1,278.09	1,278.09	
	1931 Sidewalks Account		540.44	540.44	
		$	$2,657.44	$2,657.44	$
			B1A	B-1	

RESERVE FOR INTEREST ON IMPROVEMENT NOTES

		Reserved	Paid
298	Sanitary Sewer South End Pkway	$ 77.12	$ 77.12
		B-1-A	B-1

STATEMENT OF BONDED INDEBTEDNESS, DEC. 31, 1932

Page	Purpose—Term Bonds	Date of Issue	Amount of Issue	Amount of each Maturity	Date of each Maturity	Interest Rate	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1932	Paid in 1932	Outstanding Dec. 31, 1932	Principal due in 1933	1st half 1933 Interest	2nd half 1933 Interest
	SCHOOL TERM BONDS											
3	Darrow Ave. School	July 1, 1908	$ 95,000.00	$95,000.00	July 1958	4½ %	$ 95,000.00		$ 95,000.00		$ 2,137.50	$ 2,137.50
5	Jefferson School	Nov. 1, 1909	45,000.00	45,000.00	Nov. 1959	4 %	45,000.00		45,000.00		900.00	900.00
7	High School	July 1, 1911	40,000.00	6,000.00	Jan. 1934-37							
				7,000.00	Jan. 1938-39	4 %	40,000.00	2,000.00	38,000.00	$ 6,000.00	760.00	760.00
10	Evergreen School	Mar. 1, 1915	96,000.00	1,000.00	Mar. 1943							
				3,000.00	Mar. 1944-54							
				4,000.00	Mar. 1955-61							
				9,000.00	Mar. 1962-64							
				7,000.00	Mar. 1965	4½ %	96,000.00		96,000.00		2,160.00	2,160.00
11	Emerson Ave. School	June 1, 1916	30,000.00	2,000.00	June 1955-61							
				4,000.00	June 1962-65	4½ %	30,000.00		30,000.00		675.00	675.00
	SERIAL BONDS											
	School Serial Bonds 1st & 2nd											
19	High School Issue	June 1, 1904	123,000.00	6,000.00	June 1933							
				4,000.00	June 1934	4 %	16,000.00	6,000.00	10,000.00	6,000.00	200.00	80.00
27	High School-3rd Issue	Jan. 1, 1913	230,000.00	2,000.00	Jan. 1934-39							
				9,000.00	Jan. 1940-60							
				7,000.00	Jan. 1961	4½ %	210,000.00	2,000.00	208,000.00	2,000.00	4,680.00	4,680.00
34	Jefferson School	June 1, 1922	270,000.00	10,000.00	June 1933-51							
				5,000.00	June 1952	4½ %	204,000.00	9,000.00	195,000.00	10,000.00	4,387.50	4,162.50
38	Evergreen School	May 1, 1922	113,000.00	4,000.00	May 1933-51							
	2nd Issue			2,000.00	May 1952	4½ %	82,000.00	4,000.00	78,000.00	4,000.00	1,755.00	1,665.00
42	Emerson Ave. School	Aug. 15, 1919	134,000.00	5,000.00	May 1933-46							
				4,000.00	May 1947	5 %	79,000.00	5,000.00	74,000.00	5,000.00	1,850.00	1,850.00
53	E. 7th Street School	July 1, 1924	233,000.00	5,000.00	July 1933-35							
				7,000.00	July 1936-61							
				1,000.00	July 1962	4½ %	203,000.00	5,000.00	198,000.00	5,000.00	4,455.00	4,342.50
56	School	June 1, 1925	78,000.00	2,000.00	June 1933-51							
				3,000.00	June 1952-60							
				1,000.00	June 1961	4½ %	68,000.00	2,000.00	66,000.00	2,000.00	1,485.00	1,440.00
149	School W. 8th St.	June 1, 1927	430,000.00	15,000.00	June 1933-45							
				20,000.00	June 1946-53							
				15,000.00	June 1954	4¼ %	385,000.00	15,000.00	370,000.00	15,000.00	7,862.50	7,543.75
154	Maxson School Addition	Dec. 1, 1927	95,000.00	5,000.00	Dec. 1933-47	4¼ %	80,000.00	5,000.00	75,000.00	5,000.00	1,593.75	1,593.75
171	School	June 1, 1929	537,000.00	25,000.00	June 1933-40							
				30,000.00	June 1941-48							
				22,000.00	June 1949	5 %	487,000.00	25,000.00	462,000.00	25,000.00	11,550.00	10,925.00
							B	B-6	B			

STATEMENT OF BONDED INDEBTEDNESS, DEC. 31, 1932

Page	Purpose—	Date of Issue	Amount of Issue	Amount of each Maturity	Date of each Maturity		Interest Rate	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1932	Paid in 1932	Outstanding Dec. 31, 1932	Principal due in 1933	1st half 1933 Interest	2nd half 1933 Interest
	TERM BONDS												
13	Sewer—2nd Issue	May 1, 1902	$ 41,000.00	$ 5,000.00	May	1933-34							
				6,000.00	May	1935	4 %	$ 21,000.00	$ 5,000.00	$ 16,000.00	$ 5,000.00	$ 320.00	$ 220.00
15	Sewer—4th Issue	Nov. 1, 1909	43,000.00	6,000.00	Nov.	1936-41							
				7,000.00	Nov.	1942	4 %	43,000.00		43,000.00		860.00	860.00
18	Sewer—5th Issue	Nov. 1, 1914	92,000.00	5,000.00	Nov.	1933-42							
				2,000.00	Nov.	1943	5 %	57,000.00	5,000.00	52,000.00	5,000.00	1,300.00	1,300.00
								B	B-5	B			
	SERIAL BONDS — GEN.												
58	Sewer—3rd Issue	May 1, 1907	68,000.00	2,000.00	May	1933-41	4½ %	20,000.00	2 000.00	18 000.00	2,000.00	405.00	360.00
64	Sewer—6th Issue	Dec. 1, 1919	216,000.00	6,000.00	Dec.	1933-55	5 %	144,000.00	6,000.00	138,000.00	6,000.00	3,450.00	3,450.00
67	Joint Sewer—2nd Issue	Apr. 1, 1914	75,000.00	5,000.00	Apr.	1933-39	5 %	40,000.00	5,000.00	35,000.00	5,000.00	875.00	750.00
73	Joint Sewer—3rd Issue	Apr. 1, 1914	145,000.00	5,000.00	Apr.	1940-42							
				14,000.00	Apr.	1943							
				15,000.00	Apr.	1944-50							
				11,000.00	Apr.	1951	4½ %	145,000.00		145,000.00		3,262.50	3,262.50
74	Joint Sewer—4th Issue	Apr. 1, 1914	36,000.00	4,000.00	Apr.	1951							
				15,000.00	Apr.	1952-53							
				2,000.00	Apr.	1954	5 %	36,000.00		36,000.00		900.00	900.00
84	City Hall	Dec. 1, 1919	200,000.00	5,000.00	Dec.	1933-48							
				6,000.00	Dec.	1949-58	5 %	145,000.00	5,000.00	140,000.00	5,000.00	3,500.00	3,500.00
88	General Improvement	July 1, 1924	117,000.00	4,000.00	July	1933							
				5,000.00	July	1934-48							
				6,000.00	July	1949	4½ %	89,000.00	4,000.00	85,000.00	4,000.00	1,912.50	1,822.50
91	Municipal Improvement	July 1, 1924	97,000.00	7,000.00	July	1933-40	4½ %	63,000.00	7,000.00	56,000.00	7,000.00	1,260.00	1,102.50
100	Public Improvement	Nov. 1, 1924	300,000.00	7,000.00	Nov.	1933-38							
				10,000.00	Nov.	1939-58							
				2,000.00	Nov.	1959	4½ %	251,000.00	7,000.00	244,000.00	7,000.00	5,490.00	5,490.00
103	Street Improvement	July 2, 1917	142,000.00	2,000.00	July	1933	4½ %	12,000.00	10,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	45.00	
134	General Improvement	June 1, 1926	559,000.00	15,000.00	June	1933-36							
				20,000.00	June	1937-48							
				22,000.00	June	1949-55							
				15,000.00	June	1956	4½ %	484,000.00	15,000.00	469,000.00	15,000.00	10,552.50	10,215.00
193	Public Improvements	June 1, 1929	719,000.00	20,000.00	June	1933-50							
				25,000.00	June	1951-61							
				24,000.00	June	1962	4¾ %	679,000.00	20,000.00	659,000.00	20,000.00	15,651.25	15,176.25
221	Public Improvements	June 1, 1930	589,000.00	20,000.00	June	1933-50							
				25,000.00	June	1951-57							
				14,000.00	June	1958	4½ %	569,000.00	20,000.00	549,000.00	20,000.00	12,352.50	11,902.50
								B	B-6	B			

Trust Exhibit C

TRUST BALANCE SHEET

Index		as of Jan. 1, 1932	as of Dec. 31, 1932
	ASSETS		
C-1	Cash	$ 9,563.77	$ 29,224.63
C-4	Assessments Receivable	458,904.63	345,899.03
C-2	Cash in Sinking Fund Pledged to Assessment Bonds	195,167.20	166,725.11
C-4	Trust Assessment Liens Due from Current	36,525.85	26,720.86
		$700,161.45	$568,569.63
	LIABILITIES		
C-6	Assessment Bonds	$536,000.00	$426,000.00
C-5	Assessment Notes	155,756.22	129,030.34
B	Assessment Notes Capital Account Ord. 297		12,202.16
C-3	Deposits Special Officers Badges	160.00	145.00
C-3	Coal Trust Fund	19.15	
	Refund—Gas & Water Connections	35.00	35.00
C-3	Miscellaneous Fund Accounts	482.08	448.13
C-2	Trust Surplus	7,709.00	709.00
		$700,161.45	$568,569.63

Exhibit C-1

STATEMENT OF TRUST RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

	RECEIPTS			
C	Cash Balance Jan. 1, 1932		$ 9,563.77	
C-4	From Assessments Receivable	$128,995.42		
C	From Current Account Purchase of Assessment Liens	36,525.85		
C-3	Deposit for Special Officer's Badges	10.00		
C-3	Miscellaneous Fund Accounts	530.38		
C-6	From Sinking Fund to Pay Assessments	110,000.00		
			$276,061.65	
				$285,625.42
	DISBURSEMENTS			
C-4	Recharge to Assessments Ord. 251 (check Retd. N. G.)	$ 1,389.74		
C-5	Payment of Assessment Notes	55,844.66		
C-1	Payment of Assessment Bonds	110,000.00		
C-3	Refund on Special Police Officer's Badges	25.00		
C-3	Coal Fund	19.15		
C-3	Transfer to Current Acct. Unpledged funds to 1932 Budget Revenues	382.08		
C-2	Transfer of Trust Surplus to Current 1932 Budget Revenues	7,000.00		
C-3	Payment on Account Burial Sarah Bilyou	182.25		
C-2	Assessment Collections paid into Sinking Fund	81,557.91		
			$256,400.79	
C	Cash Balance Dec 31, 1932		29,224.63	
				$285,625.42

Exhibit C-2

STATEMENT OF CASH IN SINKING FUND PLEDGED TO PAY ASSESSMENT BONDS

C	Balance Jan. 1, 1932	$195,167.20	
C-1	Payment to Sinking Fund	81,557.91	
			$276,725.11
C-1	From Sinking Fund to Pay Bonds	$110,000.00	
C	Balance Dec. 31, 1932	166,725.11	
			$276,725.11

CASH BALANCE OF FUND ACCOUNTS

	Cash Pledged to Assessment Bonds	$14,139.25
	Cash Pledged to Assessment Notes	13,748.25
	Trust Surplus	709.00
	Special Deposits	145.00
	Miscellaneous Fund Account	448.13
	Refunds Gas & Water Connections	35.00
C	Total Dec. 31, 1932	$ 29,224.63

TRUST SURPLUS ACCOUNT

C	Balance Jan. 1, 1932		$ 7,709.00
C-1	Transferred to Current 1932 Budget Revenues	$ 7,000.00	
C	Balance	709.00	
		$ 7,709.00	$ 7,709.00

Exhibit C-3

STATEMENT OF FUND ACCOUNTS
DEPOSITS SPECIAL OFFICERS BADGES

		DR.	CR.
C	Balance Jan. 1, 1932		$ 160.00
C-1	1932 Deposits	$	10.00
C-1	1932 Refund on Badges	10.00	
C-1	Payment to Pension Fund	15.00	
C	Balance Dec. 31, 1932	145.00	
		$ 170.00	$ 170.00

COAL FUND

C	Balance Jan. 1, 1932		$ 19.15
C-1	Payments for Coal	$ 19.15	

MISCELLANEOUS FUND ACCOUNTS

C	Balance Jan. 1, 1932		$ 482.08
C-1	Prudential Insurance Co. Sarah Bilyou		380.38
C-1	City Treasurer		
C-1	Deposit June 6, 1932 Unallocated funds		50.00
C-1	George Alexander Demolition of Bldg. 731-855 Leland Ave.		100.00
C-1	Transferred to Current Account 1932 Budget Revenues	$ 382.08	
C-1	Payment on Account Burial Sarah Bilyou	182.25	
C	Balance	448.13	
		$ 1,012.46	$ 1,012.46

BALANCES

	Demolition of Bldg.	$ 100.00	
	Deposit Robert Filter Mfg. Co.	100.00	
	Sarah Bilyou Insurance Account	198.13	
	City Treasurers Unallocated funds	50.00	
C	Balance as above		$ 448.13

STATEMENT OF ASSESSMENTS RECEIVABLE AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1932

Streets	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1932	Confirmed in 1932	Paid in 1932	Sold and Transferred to Tax Title Liens	Outstanding Dec. 31, 1932
Ord. 221	$ 83.56		$ 83.56		
237	207.90				$ 207.90
239	288.00		288.00		
243	96.35			96.35	
245	1,117.98		550.41		567.57
247	30,479.94		3,501.00	3,531.00	23,447.94
250	62,365.20		12,278.08		50,087.12
251	3,112.61	* 1,389.74	1,028.00	3,474.35	
252	8,656.84		6,291.45	221.38	2,144.01
254	907.87		427.87		480.00
255	894.23		515.55	100.00	278.68
256	1,500.64		969.89		530.75
257	35.00		35.00		
264	18,625.41		7,697.90	652.38	10,275.13
265	463.58		327.78		135.80
267	891.80		431.60		460.20
268	4,215.66		2,878.62	368.00	969.04
273	493.31		260.21		233.10
274	1,962.06		913.52		1.048.54
277	42,705.56		14,532.10	2,404.30	25,769.16
279	121,826.61		28,248.53		93,578.08
281	27,065.42		1,930.20		25,135.22
282	16,313.31		5,232.20	654.31	10,426.80
283	26,798.67		4,361.87	114.30	22,322.50
285	2,937.89		542.01		2,395.88
287	14,673.25		2,826.14	5,973.78	5,873.33
289	14,992.37		3,862.78	1,193.03	9,936.56
290	29,779.56		7,700.93	168.50	21,910.13
293	8,160.10		2,455.44	1,340.59	4,364.07
297		12,202.16			12,202.16
298		7,254.06	2,997.74	158.17	4,098.15
299		10,392.49	1,676.19	2,756.57	5,959.73
Total Street	$441,650.68	$ 31,238.45	$114,844.57	$ 23,207.01	$334,837.55
Sewers					
Ord. 240	735.22		408.90	100.00	226.32
275	9,831.74		1,391.43		8,440.31
280	5,191.41		5,191.41		
288	436.60		82.24	354.36	
295	834.22		144.40		689.82
296		5,070.58	2,446.79	2,113.79	510.00
Total Sewers	$ 17,029.19	$ 5,070.58	$ 9,665.17	$ 2,568.15	$ 9,866.45
Curb & Sidewalk	224.76	6,401.65	4,485.68	945.70	1,195.03
Total	$458,904.63	$ 42,710.68	$128,995.42	$ 26,720.86	$345,899.03
* Recharge	C	B-2	C-1	C	C

Exhibit C-5

STATEMENT OF ASSESSMENT NOTES

Note Nos.		Outstanding Jan. 1, 1932	Issued in 1932	Paid in 1932	Outstanding Dec. 31, 1932
Sinking Fund Comm.	1104	$ 11,000.00		$ 11,000.00	
" " "	1117	44,844.66		44,844.66	
" " "	1134	61,262.77			61,262.77
" " "	1138	38,648.79			38,648.79
" " "	1161		5,070.58		5,070.58
" " "	1162		10,392.49		10,392.49
" " "	1163		6,401.65		6,401.65
" " "	1165		7,254.06		7,254.06
		$155,756.22	$ 29,118.78	$ 55,844.66	$129.030.34
		C	C-1	C-1	C

STATEMENT OF BONDED INDEBTEDNESS DEC. 31, 1932

Page	Purpose	Date of Issue	Amount of Issue	Amount of each Maturity	Date of each Maturity	Interest Rate	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1932	Paid in 1932	Outstanding Dec. 31, 1932	Principal 1933	1st half Interest 1933	2nd half Interest 1933
ASSESSMENT BONDS												
199	Public Imp. Assessments	June 1, 1929	$232,000.00	$45,000.00	June 1933-34	5½%	$ 145,000.00	$ 55,000.00	$ 90,000.00	$ 45,000.00	$ 2,475.00	$ 1,237.50
234	Public Imp. Assessments	June 1, 1930	443,000.00	55,000.00	June 1933-35							
				35,000.00	June 1936-39							
				31,000.00	June 1940	4½%	391,000.00	55,000.00	336,000.00	55,000.00	7,560.00	6,322.50
							C	C-1	C			
								School T	$ 304,000.00	$ 6,000.00	$ 6,632.50	$ 6,632.50
								School S	1,736,000.00	79,000.00	39,818.75	38,282.50
								General T	111,000.00	10,000.00	2,480.00	2,380.00
								General S	2,576,000.00	93,000.00	59,656.25	57,931.25
								Assessment	426,000.00	100,000.00	10,035.00	7,560.00
									$5,153,000.00	$ 288,000.00	$ 118,622.50	$ 112,786.25
												$ 231,408.75

Exhibit D

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE SINKING FUND COMMISSION INHABITANTS OF THE CITY OF PLAINFIELD, NEW JERSEY

December 31st, 1932

RECEIPTS

Balance, January 1st, 1932		$ 50.36
Interest	$ 13,603.70	
Assessment Funds from City	81,557.91	
City Plainfield Appropriation	3,300.00	
City Plainfield Notes Paid	417,663.07	
		$516,124.68
		$516,175.04

DISBURSEMENTS

City Plainfield Notes purchased	$381,311.70	
Paid City Plainfield for maturing bonds	12,000.00	
Assessment Funds returned to City	110,000.00	$503,311.70
Balance December 31st, 1932		$ 12,863.34

ASSETS

Cash	$ 12,863.34	
Investments	367,532.51	
		$380,395.85

LIABILITIES

Sinking Fund Requirements as per law	$177,912.57	
Local Improvement Account	166,725.11	
Surplus	35,758.17	
		$380,395.85

SINKING FUND INVESTMENTS

December 31st, 1932

Cash			$ 12,863.34
City of Plainfield Bonds:			
School 4½%	July 1,	1908	$ 4,000.00
School 4%	Nov. 1,	1909	8,000.00
School 4%	July 1,	1911	8,000.00
School 4½%	Mar. 1,	1915	3,000.00
School 4½%	July 1,	1924	6,000.00
School 4½%	June 1,	1925	9,000.00
Sewer 4%	Nov. 1,	1909	1,000.00
Joint Sewer 5%	Apr. 1,	1914	1,000.00
Public Improvement 4½%	Nov. 1,	1924	2,000.00
City of Plainfield Demand Notes			325,532.51
			$380,395.85

SINKING FUND COMMISSION OF THE INHABITANTS
OF THE CITY OF PLAINFIELD

JOSEPH W. SANDFORD,
President

ARTHUR E. CRONE,
Treasurer

December 31st, 1932

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET
as of December 31, 1932
CURRENT, CAPITAL AND TRUST ACCOUNTS

ASSETS:	Totals	Current Accounts	Capital Accounts	Trust Accounts
Cash	$ 122,790.81	$ 53,054.01	$ 40,512.17	$ 29,224.63
Petty Cash	200.00	200.00		
Taxes & Tax Title Liens	977,195.80	977,195.80		
Accounts Receivable	12,665.27	12,665.27		
Emergency Revenues	132,272.01	132,272.01		
Due from State of New Jersey Emergency State Fund Account	17,636.27	17,636.27		
Overexpenditures Emergency Relief Appropriation Acct.	1,115.58	1,115.58		
Due from Community Chest	52.50	52.50		
Deferred Charges	778.55	778.55		
Improvements authorized and Uncompleted	505,000.00		505,000.00	
Cost of Improvemeents in Progress	237,746.81		237,746.81	
Amount to be raised by Future Taxation	4,650,462.01		4,650,462.01	
Amount in Sinking Fund pledged to payment of Term Bonds	213,670.74		213,670.74	
Joint Sewer Commission	6,800.00		6,800.00	
Borough of Fanwood	18,000.00		18,000.00	
Borough of Fanwood — Joint Meeting	17,952.00		17,952.00	
Assessments Receivable	345,899.03			345,899.03
Cash in Sinking Fund Pledged to Assessment Bonds	166,725.11			166,725.11
Trust Assessment Liens due from Current	26,720.86			26,720.86
	$7,453,683.35	$1,194,969.99	$5,690,143.73	$ 568,569.63
LIABILITIES:				
1928 Appropriation Reserve	$ 14,934.76	$ 14,934.76		
1931 Appropriation Reserve	43,090.49	43,090.49		
1932 Appropriation Reserve	46,429.99	46,429.99		
1932 School Account	378,032.00	378,032.00		
Emergency Notes Outstanding	149,908.28	149,908.28		
Local Contributions to Emergency Relief Fund	705.53	705.53		
Tax Revenue Notes Outstanding	200,000.00	200,000.00		
Emergency Relief Orders Payable	15,700.68	15,700.68		
Reserve for Assessment Liens —1932 Appropriation	15,000.00	15,000.00		
Due Trust for Assessment Liens	26,720.86	26,720.86		
Overpayment of Taxes	14.39	14.39		
Suspense Account	443.32	443.32		
Due collections of Delinquent Taxes	45.92	45.92		
Sundry Accounts Payable	3.00	3.00		
Surplus Revenue Account	303,940.77	303,940.77		
Ordinance Improvement Appropriation	505,000.00		505,000.00	
Sale Municipal Lands	2,500.00		2,500.00	
Joint Meeting Sewer	6,800.00		6,800.00	
Reserve for the Payment of Sewer Bonds	35,952.00		35,952.00	
Improvement Notes:				
Streets	3,910.80		3,910.00	
Sewers	408,980.93		408,980.93	
Bonds Outstanding:				
School — Term	304,000.00		304,000.00	
School — Serial	1,736,000.00		1,736,000.00	
General — Term	111,000.00		111,000.00	
General — Serial	2,576,000.00		2,576,000.00	
Assessment Bonds	426,000.00			426.000.00
Assessment Notes	129,030.34			129,030.34
Assessment Notes Capital Account Ord. 297	12,202.16			12,202.16
Deposits Special Officers Badges	145.00			145.00
Refund — Gas & Water Connections	35.00			35.00
Miscellaneous Fund Accounts	448.13			448.13
Trust Surplus	709.00			709.00
	$7,453,683.35	$1,194,969.99	$5,690,143.73	$ 568,569.63

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PLAINFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1932

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE

Plianfield, N. N., January 1, 1933

To the Honorable, The Mayor and the Common Council:

Gentlemen:

I have the honor to present to you my Third Annual Report of the Department of Police.

POLICE COMMITTEE

Daniel F. Randolph, Chairman	Arthur J. Harris, Chairman
Royle T. Phillips	Frederick E. B. Scott
Leon M. Hannaford	Leon M. Hannaford

NOTE: Owing to the resignation of Mr. Randolph and the death of Mr. Phillips, during the year, necessitated change in the members of the Committee.

Chief of Police ..... Charles A. Flynn
Superintendent of Police Alarm Telegraph ..... James F. Pearsall
Clerk Secretary ..... Monroe Staats

MANUAL FORCE

1 Chief.
1 Captain.
1 Lieutenant.
6 Sergeants.
1 Detective Sergeant.
2 Detectives.
32 Class "A" Patrolmen.
8 Class "B" Patrolmen.
8 Class "C" Patrolmen.
2 Class "D" Patrolmen.
0 Class "E" Patrolmen.
1 Class SPECIAL
63 Total.

DIVISION OF POLICE ALARM TELEGRAPH

1 Superintendent.
1 Lineman.
1 Helper.
3 Total of Police Alarm Telegraph.

OFFICE FORCE

1 Department Clerk and Secretary.
67 Total of Department.

ARRESTS

Number of Arrests for the year.		1,464
Composed of:		
Males (White)	1,007	
Males (Colored)	351	
Females (White)	73	
Females (Colored)	33	1,464
Automobile Summonses	1,474	
Miscellaneous Summonses	251	
Dog Summonses	213	1,938
Grand Total of Arrests and Summonses		3,402

AGE OF PRISONERS

MALE		FEMALE	
17 to 20 years	187	17 to 20 years	19
21 to 30 years	459	21 to 30 years	40
31 to 40 years	358	31 to 40 years	31
41 to 50 years	239	41 to 50 years	9
51 to 60 years	88	51 to 60 years	5
61 to 70 years	24	61 to 70 years	2
71 to 80 years	3	71 to 80 years	0
	1,358		106

Total 1,464

MAINTENANCE OF PRISONERS

Cost of serving meals to prisoners $820.00

NATIVITY OF PRISONERS

Afro-American	381	Irish	26
American	798	Italian	98
Australian	2	Jewish	5
Austrian	9	Lithuanian	2
Canadian	2	Norwegian	2
Czecho-Slovakian	8	Polish	25
Danish	1	Russian	39
English	11	Rumanian	4
Egyptian	1	So. American	2
French	1	Scotch	9
German	13	Swedish	7
Greek	6	Swiss	1
Hollander	3	Slavish	1
Hungarian	4	West Indian	3

Total Arrests	1,464
Total Summonses	1,938
Grand Total	3,402

CHARGES

Abandonment	3
Acting in a Demented Manner	1
Adultery	5
Aiding and Abetting	2
Assault	8
Assault and Battery	9
Assault with Intent to Kill	2
Assault by Automobile	78
Atrocious Assault	4
Atrocious Assault and Battery	2
Attempt Abortion	1
Attempt Assault	1
Attempt Burglary	1
Attempt Extortion	3
Attempt Forgery	1
Attempt Rape	1
Attempt Robbery	3
Attempt Suicide	8
Bastardy	9
Bigamy	1
Breaking and Entering	10
Burglary	5
Carnal Abuse	2
Carrying Concealed Weapons	7
Converting Property to Own Use	1
Corrupting Morals of Minors	1
Cruelty to Animals	18
Defrauding Landlord	4
Desertion	4
Discharging Fire Arms in the City Limits	2
Disorderly Conduct	153
Disorderly Houses	6
Dog Summonses	213
Drunkenness	132
Drunk and Disorderly	108
Drunken Drivers	15
Embezzlement	8
Escaped Prisoners	1
Failure to Appear in Court	3
Failure to pay National Guard Fine	1
Forgery	9
Fornication	10
Fraud	2

Gambling	12
Holdup and Robbery	9
Hunting within the City Limits	5
Illegal Entry into the United States	1
Illegal Possession of Liquor	4
Illegal Train Riding	71
Illegal Transportation of Liquor	5
Illegal Transportation of Stills	2
Incorrigibility	1
Indecent Exposure	4
Interferring with a Police Officer	1
Larency of Automobiles	14
Larency, Grand	25
Larency, Petit	23
Loitering	12
Malicious Mischief	10
Manslaughter	9
Material Witnesses	19
Mentally Unbalanced	6
Miscellaneous Summonses	251
Motor Vehicle and Traffic Violations (Arrests)	156
Motor Vehicle and Traffic Violations (Summonses)	1,474
Murder	1
Non-Support	38
Obtaining Money Under False Pretense	21
Open Lewdness	1
Panhandling	13
Peddling Milk without a Permit	1
Peddling without a License	43
Policy and Number Writing	12
Prostitution	5
Rape	1
Receiving Stolen Goods	2
Refusing to Pay Taxi Bill	3
Ressisting Arrest	5
Runaways	1
Shoplifting	5
Sodomy	1
Suspicious Persons	85
Threats	1
Vagrancy	14
Vice and Immorality Act (Theatres)	10
Violation of Barber Ordinance	5
Violation of Building Code	1
Violation of Crime Act No. 164	1
Violation of Health Ordinances	25
Violation of Prohibition Enforcement Act, Sect. 10	29
Violation of Probation or Parole	6
Violation of Sect. 3 City Ordinances (Theatres)	68
Violation of Sect. 6 City Ordinances (Liquor)	4
Violation of Children's Welfare Act.	1
Worthless Checks	27
Total	3,402

DISPOSITIONS

Appealed	6
Bond Forfeited	25
Committed to County Jail	166
Cases Pending	34
Committed to Greystone Park	5
Committed to Veteran's Hospital at Millington, N. J.	2
Dismissed	434
Fined	752
Held for Grand Jury	166
Licenses Revoked	30
Ordered to Support Family	31
Put on Probation	44
Sentences Suspended	1,612
Turned over to Annandale Reformatory	1
Turned over to Rahway Reformatory	2
Turned over to Federal Authorities	6
Turned over to Miss Holly	1
Turned over to National Guard	1
Turned over to New Libson Authorities	1
Turned over to Other Municipalities	55
Turned over to Prosecutor's Office	2
Turned over to Parents	5
Turned over to State Police	5
Turned over to Supreme Court Commissioner	16
Total	3,402

Total number of accidents reported to Police Department	407
Total number of Vacant Houses looked after by this Dep't.	622

Total number of Transients who obtained nights lodging	2,255
Total number of investigations made by Reserve men	5,963
Automobiles reported stolen in City	90
Automobiles recovered in City	34
Automobiles recovered for other Municipalities	7
Automobiles recovered by other Municipalities for Plainfield	40
Automobiles recovered by owner	14
Miscellaneous Articles reported Lost or Stolen	148
Miscellaneous Articles recovered by Police	145
Dogs reported lost or stolen	88
Dogs recovered	85
Demented Persons committed to Greystone Park	14
Demented Persons committed to State Hospital, Trenton	0
Demented Persons committed to Veteran's Hospital, Millington	1
Doors and Windows reported open or unlocked	346
Missing Persons reported to Police	37
Missing Persons recovered	36
Bicycles reported lost or stolen	144
Bicycles recovered	140

POLICE TELEGRAPH SYSTEM

The Police Telegraph System is of the Gamewell type, consisting of Thirty-two boxes with flashlights and recall horns; one time clock with paper take-up reel; one switchboard with instruments mounted on it for charging the batteries. The batteries operating this system were removed to Fire Headquarters during the past year. The power for charging the batteries is furnished by the Public Service Electric and Gas Company.

SCHOOL SAFETY PATROL

During the past year 150 boys of the School Safety Patrol have guarded the various School Crossings while the school children go to and from the schools. It is gratifying to note that only one accident was reported. At the Maxim school the safety patrol issued summonses to pupils who violate their regulations and a court is held, at the school, every Tuesday and punished according to the school safety patrol. This has been a great help to the Police Department and is greatly appreciated.

INVESTIGATIONS MADE BY DETECTIVE BUREAU

Abandonment	1
Abortion	2
Accidental Deaths	2
Adultery	4
Aiding in Conspiracy to Defraud	2
Assault	8
Atrocious Assault	3
Attempt Holdup	1
Attempt Illegal Entry	20
Attempt Larency	6
Attempt Suicide	8
Automobile Accidents (Personal Inury)	20
Automobile Registrations	3
Automobiles Stolen	14
Bastardy	3
Bicycles Stolen	39
Bigamy	1
Board of Health Violations	5
Breaking Windows	37
Carnal Abuse	1
Car numbers and cars	12
Carrying Concealed Weapons	2
Children annoyed by men	5
Confidence Game	5
Counterfeiting	10
Cruelty to Animals (Chickens, Rabbits and Dogs Killed)	71
Defrauding Board Bill and Money	5
Demented Persons	4
Desertion and Abandonment	6
Discharging Fire Arms in City	5
Disorderly Conduct	37
Dog Ordinance	14
Embezzlement	3
Emergency Relief	13
Escaped Persons	2
Explosions	1
False Alarms of Fire	11

Fires (Suspicious)	4
Forgery	2
Gambling Houses	7
Holdup and Robbery	9
Homicide (New York Cases)	2
Illegal Entry (Houses, Stores and Offices)	94
Imposters in Religion	1
Indecent Exposure	8
Itinerant Vendors	7
Juvenile Cases	15
Kidnapping	1
Larceny (Petit and Grand)	118
Library Books not returned	13
Liquor Cases	29
Lost and Found Articles	16
Lottery Tickets	10
Miscellaneous Investigations	55
Malicious Mischief	36
Missing Persons	13
Murder	1
Non-support	17
Obtaining Goods under False Pretense	3
Operation of Pool-rooms on Sunday	4
Operation of Theatres on Sunday	13
Parole Violations	6
Probation	4
Robbery	15
Shoplifting	15
Soliciting Alms	3
Sudden Deaths	5
Suicides	6
Suspicious Persons	38
Suspicious Telephone Calls	3
Tampering with U. S. Mail Box	1
Telegrams	3
Threatening Letters	2
Worthless Checks	35
Total	1,000

DIVISION OF IDENTIFICATION

Fingerprints on file as of Dec. 31, 1932	1,843
Persons fingerprinted during 1932	558
Fingerprints sent to National Bureau of Identification	558
Persons who had previous records in other cities	237
Persons who had no previous records	321
Fingerprints sent to New Jersey State Bureau	558
Persons with previous records reported by State Bureau	209
Persons with no previous records reported by State Bureau	349
Total number of Fingerprints taken	2,232
Fingerprints taken for other Municipalities	176
Fugitives apprehended by Fingerprints (Wanted by other Cities)	23
Investigations made for fingerprints (Evidence)	94
Cases investigated for other Municipalities	17

PHOTOGRAPHY

Manslaughter scenes photographed	10
Automobile Assault scenes where death might ensue	28
Miscellaneous Photographs	54
Additional photographs for gallery	558
Stand-up photos (Group pictures)	37
Photographs taken for other Municipalities	33
Canvassers fingerprinted and photographed from Aug. 15 to Dec. 31	505

CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The result of constant vigilance and efficient work of the Police in our department during 1932 has kept our City singularly free from crimes of a serious nature and wish, at this time, to take the opportunity of commending the rank and file of the force for their excellent co-operation in the performance of their duties. A number of minor infractions of the Rules and Regulations of the Department have been very satisfactorily disposed of by the Police Board and the Common Council. The Officials entrusted with the administration of this arm of Public Safety will not tolerate shirkers and the infractions of the rules are punished in a manner commensurate with their offenses.

The operation of the Detective Bureau during the past year shows a marked improvement and considerable additional investigations have been made over previous years. As regards to the work performed in our Bureau of Criminal Identification much work has been brought to bear in this connection and through its operation one, Thomas Randolph, alias Robert Horn was apprehended at Eastville, Virginia, he being wanted in this City for the murder of one Fred Harvey on May 21st, 1931. Randolph Thomas is now serving a period of 20 to 22 years at State Prison, Trenton, N. J. This bureau has also fingerprinted and photographed 505 Canvassers who have applied for a Permit to Canvas since its inception on Auguse 15th last.

The Teletype System at this office has been a great assistance to this department in the quick apprehension of criminals and the recovery of stolen automobiles and missing persons.

I would recommend that our Corporation Councils' office be represented at our City Court Sessions in order that our Department might be represented in a legal way.

I would also recommend that an Ordinance be passed creating the office of Police Court Clerk and further recommend the appointment of Monroe Staats, who has been acting in this capacity for the past four years, to this position along with his clerkship of the Police Department.

I wish to take this opportunity of expressing to his Honor, the Mayor, the Members of the Police Committee, my thanks and appreciation for their support and the many acts of kindness during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES A. FLYNN,
Chief of Police

REPORT OF THE CITY JUDGE

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Plainfield, N. J.

Gentlemen:

I have the honor to submit herewith my Yearly Report for the year 1932, as follows:

Complaints dismissed	434
Sentences suspended	1,612
Fined	752
Bonds forfeited	25
Licenses revoked	30
Committed to County Jail	166
Cases postponed	24
Failed to answer	5
Probated	44
Committed to Greystone	5
Released	27
Grand Jury	166
Turned over to other authorities	70
Ordered to support families	31
Released on bond pending appeal of case	6
Cases not tried	5
Total	3,402

Total amount of fines turned over to City Treasurer	$ 2,813.75
Total amount of fines turned over to County Treasurer	4,629.00
Total amount of fines turned over to Harold G. Hoffman, Commissioner of Motor Vehicles, Trenton, N. J.	33.00
Total amount of fines turned over to Board of Health	35.00
Fine refunded	15.00
Total amount of fines turned over to Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals	195.00
Total Fines	$ 7,720.75

WILLIAM G. DE MEZA,
City Judge.

January 20th, 1933.

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

FIRE COMMITTEE

1932

Harry A. Wierenga, Chairman

William S. Lare — Edward Sachar

BOARD OF ENGINEERS

Chief of the Department ..... WESLEY J. DUNN
Deputy Chief ..... JOHN P. TOWNLEY

Sup't. of the Fire Alarm Telegraph ..... JAMES F. PEARSALL

Clerk-Secretary ..... RAYMOND J. MYZIE

Plainfield, N. J., January 1, 1933.

To the Honorable, The Mayor and Common Council:

Gentlemen:

It gives me pleasure to submit herewith my report for 1932 and my recommendations for 1933.

The present personnel of this Department is 62, divided as follows:

FIRE FIGHTING FORCE

1 Chief of Department.
1 Deputy Chief.
4 Captains.
4 Lieutenants.
38 Class "A" Privates.
7 Class "B" Privates.
2 Class "C" Privates.
1 Probationary Man.

58 Total Fire Fighting Force.

DIVISION OF FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH

1 Superintendent.
1 Lineman.
1 Helper.

3 Total of Division of Fire Alarm Telegraph.

OFFICE FORCE

1 Department Clerk and Secretary.

The past year was a very busy one, the Department having answered alarms as follows:

300 Telephone Alarms.
9 Telephone and Box Alarms.
56 Box Alarms.
15 Verbal Alarms.

380 Total Number of Alarms.
2 Second Alarms.

The total loss for 1932, including buildings and contents, amounted to $45,262.55 on which there was insurance carried of $525,150.00 making an excess over loss $479,887.45.

The classification of fire losses and insurance carried for 1932 are as follows:

	Buildings	Contents	Total
Total value of property involved	$532,600.00	$ 78,400.00	$611,000.00
Total insurance on property	465,450.00	59,700.00	525,150.00
Total losses	31,121.50	14,141.05	45,262.55
Total exposure losses	None	None	None

I am sorry to report that three (3) lives were lost this year as the result of fires.

CAUSES OF FIRE AND ALARMS

Fires Resulting from:	
Unknown	32
Smoking	6
Careless Workmen	4
Children and matches	4
Improper disposition of hot ashes	2
Gasoline	2
Oil lamps, Stoves and Heaters	4
Fuel Oil Burners	6
Overheated stoves, furnaces and smoke-pipes	11
Sparks from fire-places	3
Broken or defective gas and electric fixtures	8
Defective flues, smoke-pipes and soot	22
Explosions	5
Electric Motors	3
Fire Works	1
Total Number	113
Fires Resulting from other Causes:	
Woods, Grass, Brush or Bon Fires	151
Sparks from Chimney, Stoves or Locomotives	17
Auto—Short Circuits, back fires or overheated engines	41
Total Number	209
Other Alarms:	
False	11
Unnecessary	3
Ammonia Leaks	2
Lightning	1
Accident	1
Overcome by gas	4
Acid Fumes	1
Overflowed Boilers	2
Smoke Scares	9
Miscellaneous	19
Out of City Alarms	5
Total of other Alarms	58
Grand Total of Fires and Alarms	380

DUTY

Beat Out	67
Beat Out and Chemicals	31
Out on Arrival or Nothing Used	116
Inhalator	6
Chemicals	102
Chemicals and Hydrant Streams	4
Hydrant Streams	56
Engine Streams	[illegible]
Pails of Water	[illegible]
Gas Masks	3
Ladders	8
Grappling Hooks	1
Total Duty	380

OUT OF CITY ALARMS

Scotch Plains (Union County)	1
Dunellen (Middlesex County)	1
North Plainfield (Somerset County)	3
Total Out of City Alarms	5

MATERIALS USED

23,200 ft. of 2½ inch hose.
1,693 gals. of Chemicals.
2,106 ft. of ladders.
60 lines of Hose laid.
2 hrs. — Engines worked.

COMPANIES, APPARATUS AND CREWS

Fire Headquarters and staff

Located at the corner of Central Avenue and West Fourth Street, telephones Plainfield 6-1500; 1501; 1502 and 1503.

HOSE

We have in service 12,750 feet of good hose.

HYDRANTS

There were no new hydrants installed during 1932. There is a grand total of 552 Hydrants within the City Limits and four just over the City Line.

FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH SYSTEM

Our system is of the Gamewell Type with 94 Fire Alarm Boxes, 17 of which are private. During the year 2 fire boxes were removed from poles and placed on pedestals with underground connections and 4 boxes were changed from the old non-interfering to the new successive type of non-interfering with quick action doors. We have about 56½ miles of overhead wires. A 15 inch gong is located in each of the outside Fire Stations, one 18 inch gong with three 10 inch tappers and one 6 inch tapper at Fire Headquarters, one 12 inch gong at Police Headquarters and one 15 inch gong at the Plainfield-Union Water Company's Pumping Station, six inch tappers are located at the Electric and Gas Company's plants and other places of importance. One 10 circuit automatic repeator, one 12 circuit switchboard with instruments mounted on it for testing and recharging of batteries, one house circuit and one local battery circuit in Headquarters, and six outside circuits are in use. One alarm transmitter and four alarm registers with paper take-up reels are installed in the various fire stations. There are four sixty inch battery racks with 113 cells for operating the alarm system and one twelve circuit protector board. One Sterling, five horse-power Electric Siren with one remote control switch. There are 8 rectifiers in use. The power for charging the batteries is furnished by the Public Service Electric & Gas Company. One ten trunk telephone switchboard with four trunk lines and nine extensions is in service.

POLICE ALARM SIGNAL SYSTEM

Our system is of the Gamewell Type with 32 Standard Police Boxes with recall lights and horns, one of which is private and ten of which are located on pedestals. We have about 42 miles of overhead wires and about 1¾ miles of underground cable which is jointly with the Fire Alarm Telegraph System. The following Gamewell equipment is installed at Fire Headquarters: one 160 inch battery rack with 54 two volt cells and two rectifiers. The following Gamewell Equipment is installed at Police Headquarters: a switchboard with a time clock, a four circuit punching machine and a telephone for making calls to Police Boxes.

TRAFFIC SIGNAL SYSTEM

There are five (5) Traffic Signals now in service. Five additional signals are to be installed during 1933.

PENSION ROLL

Mrs. Abbie E. Doane.
Mrs. Anna B. Mehl.
Mr. George H. Feiring.
Mr. Griffen H. Freeman.
Mr. William Gaub.
Mrs. Mary L. Vail.
Mrs. Meta M. McAvoy.
Mrs. Catherine V. Quinn.

INSPECTION OF BUILDINGS

3,887 Inspections of Business and Factory Buildings were made throughout the City during the year 1932.

SPECIAL DETAIL INSPECTIONS

816 Special Detail Inspections were made during the year 1932.

FIRE SCHOOL

Owing to the fact that we could not equip our school properly; we have had to confine our instructions to the use of tools and the handling of apparatus.

Under these conditions the school is progressing as well as can be expected.

RECOMMENDATIONS

I would recommend the purchase of 2,000 feet of 2½ inch Cotton, Rubber Lined, Wax and Gum treated Fire Hose.

I would recommend the purchase of two (2) New P. N. I. Successive, Non-Interfering Fire Alarm Boxes and replace four (4) old boxes with new type.

It is my pleasure to extend to your Honorable Body my sincere appreciation for the co-operation. I also take the occasion to express my recognition of the loyal and valuable services rendered by the Officers and Members of the Department and the Press of the City of Plainfield, I also tender my thanks and appreciation of their valued assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

W. J. DUNN,
Chief P. F. D.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT

MEMBERS OF STAFF

John S. Dahl, Inspector of Buildings ..... 722 Woodland Avenue
Walter Apgar, Ass't. Inspector of Buildings ..... 960 Park Avenue
Margaret M. Coombs, Office Secretary ..... 716 East Seventh Street

To the Honorable, the Mayor and the Common Council of the City of Plainfield, New Jersey.

Gentlemen:

I tender herewith my report as Inspector of Buildings for the year ending December 31, 1932.

During the year we have granted four hundred twelve (412) permits, the valuation of which amounts to $336,164.00,

Fees Collected		$1,871.50
Building Codes	$ 9.00	
Zoning Maps	5.50	
Certificates of Occupancy	468.00	
Building Permits	1 389.00	
Total Collected and Deposited		$1,871.50

CLASSIFICATION OF PERMITS

28	for	28	Frame Dwellings and Garages
2	for	2	Frame Dwellings
74	for	74	Frame Alterations
50	for	50	Frame Additions
38	for	38	Frame Garages
2	for	2	Frame Coops
2	for	2	Frame Ice Houses
1	for	1	Frame Stable
1	for	1	Frame Road Stand
1	for	1	Frame Bin and Office Building
96	for	96	Fuel Oil Equipments
5	for	8	Gasoline Tanks
76	for	77	Signs
15	for	15	Cement Hollow Block Garages
3	for	3	Cement Hollow Block Additions
1	for	1	Cement Hollow Block Dwelling and Garage
1	for	1	Cement Hollow Block Foundation
1	for	1	Cement Hollow Block Warehouse
1	for	1	Cement Hollow Block Alteration
1	for	1	Cement Hollow Block Storage
1	for	1	Cement Hollow Block Club House
1	for	1	Cement Hollow Block Bakery
1	for	1	Cement Hollow Block Office and Warehouse
1	for	1	Cement Hollow Block Boiler Room
3	for	3	Brick Alterations
1	for	1	Brick and Frame Alteration
1	for	1	Removal of Building
1	for	4	Coal Pockets
1	for	1	Private Elevator
1	for	1	Hollow Tile Addition
1	for	1	Greenhouse
412	Permits		

Twenty-nine (29) permits were issued for the demolition of buildings. By far the most extensive demolition was the removal of the frame buildings on the property of the Netherwood Fresh Air Home which have been an eyesore for many years. An entire block of buildings were also demolished on West Front Street between Johannis Place and Grace Place.

An inspection of all elevators, both passenger and freight, has been made and all were found to be in good condition.

Signs throughout the City have been inspected. In most all cases they were found in a safe condition, however, where any violation or unsafe condition existed, notice was served calling attention to same, and they have been either repaired or replaced.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN S. DAHL,
Inspector of Buildings.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CITY CLERK
1932

To the Honorable Common Council, City of Plainfield, New Jersey.

Gentlemen:

I beg to submit herewith, my eighth annual report for the year ending December 31, 1932, of fees collected for licenses, etc. issued by this office, as follows:

				County Clerk	City Treas.
2,250	Dog Licenses	@	$ 2.50		$ 5,625.00
98	Res. Hunting and Fish. Lics.	@	3.15	$ 294.00	14.70
3	Alien Hunting and Fish. Lics.	@	10.50	30.00	1.50
3	Alien Fishing Licenses	@	5.50	15.00	1.50
17	Cartman Licenses	@	5.50		93.50
51	Cartman Licenses	@	10.50		535.50
44	Peddler, Horse and Wagon or Auto	@	25.50		1 122.00
2	Peddler, with Cart	@	20.50		41.00
2	Peddler, on foot	@	15.50		31.00
35	Driver Licenses	@	1.50		52.50
28	Duplicate Tags	@	.50		14.00
8	Kennel Licenses	@	10.00		80.00
32	Kennel Tags	@	.25		8.00
28	Truckman Licenses	@	10.50		294.00
54	Pool Tables licensed	@	5.00		270.00
7	Auctioneer Licenses	@	25.50		178.50
41	Taxi Licenses	@	10.50		430.50
1	Itinerant Vendor License	@	200.00		200.00
1	Truckman License	@	5.50		5.50
2	Peddler Licenses	@	50.00		100.00
4	Junk Licenses	@	26.00		104.00
1	Auctioneer License	@	15.02		15.02
1	Circus License	@	100.00		100.00
2	Carnival Licenses	@	25.00		50.00
10	Entertainment Licenses	@	5.00		50.00
15	Entertainment Licenses	@	2.00		30.00
	Theater Licenses:				
	Strand	@	275.00		
	Oxford	@	260.00		
	Paramount	@	200.00		
	Liberty	@	160.00		895.00
	Miscellaneous Income				56.00
				$ 339.00	$10,398.72

Amount turned over to City Treasurer for year	$ 10 398.72
Amount turned over to the County Clerk for year	339.00
Total amount collected for the year 1932	$ 10,737.72

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE BRINTON WEAN,
City Clerk.

Dated: Plainfield, N. J., March 20, 1933.

REPORT OF THE SHADE TREE COMMISSION

December 31, 1932.

To the Honorable the Mayor and the Common Council of the City of Plainfield, N. J.

Gentlemen:

The Plainfield Shade Tree Commission presents this report of its activities for the year of 1932. The Shade Tree Commission has been in existence for twenty-two years, and has in this time worked to preserve, maintain and increase the many trees lining Plainfield's streets. The Commission has worked on a reduced budget for the past two years and has again reduced the budget for 1933, the proposed budget now being 66% lower than 1930 and the lowest appropriation since 1920.

The trimming and removing of trees has greatly increased during the past years. This is due largely to the increase of permanent street paving from curb to curb, and to the extreme dry conditions of the past three years. It is impossible to pave the existing streets from curb to curb without serious injury to the root systems of the larger trees, causing dying of the top limbs and often death to the entire tree, several years after the streets are completed.

The smaller trees and trees planted after pavements are laid adapt themselves to the changed conditions.

The Department has received over 400 requests for tree work of some kind this year. These, with other necessary work of the Department, has called for more work than the force it is able to employ can care for.

The elm leaf beetle, a serious insect pest of elm trees, made its appearance in large numbers in certain sections of our City last year. Prompt control measures were taken as soon as the infestation was apparent and by the application of an arsenate spray, extensive damage was stopped. Approximately 8,000 gallons of solution were used in control work. Considerable spraying will be necessary in 1933 for control of this pest.

The Commission had the advantage this year of having labor, for the removal of dead and undesirable trees, furnished by the Emergency Unemployment Relief. This was taken advantage of and more than 215 trees were removed. This plan has served the City in several ways, it has provided work for the unemployed in removing the trees and cutting up the wood, it has furnished over 300 cords of wood for fuel and, most important, our streets have been made safer for travel, and breeding places for insects and fungi attacking our good trees have been eliminated. Replacement with suitable young trees for those removed should be made as rapidly as possible.

In the trimming of trees we have not made as much progress as in past years, however 350 trees located in all parts of the City have been trimmed and low branches and suckers on all trees on fifteen different streets have been removed. Young trees planted during the past six years were also pruned to insure a proper growth.

During the past year we have had several windstorms which have damaged our trees to some extent. The Department has always been in readiness during and after these storms to remove hanging or fallen limbs and trees.

The Department has maintained Library Square from the appropriation and has rendered assistance to the various Departments of the City in any work requested of it.

The Commission realizes the necessity for economy at this time and expresses its willingness to co-operate in every way. As in the past the Commission will do all the work possible, with the amount appropriated for Shade Tree maintenance in Plainfield.

Respectfully submitted,

PLAINFIELD SHADE TREE COMMISSION

J. F. Dyer, President.
Wm. C. Hubbard, Secretary.
William H. Farrestel.
By SYDNEY R. DURRANT,
City Forester.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Budget Appropriation, Shade Tree Commission	$ 9,000.00
Transfered to Shade Tree Commission	50.00
	$ 9,050.00
Disbursements	8,882.53
Balance	$ 167.47

DISBURSEMENTS

Paid for Salaries, labor, etc.	$ 6,843.19
Paid for tools, supplies, insurance, telephone etc.	904.52
Paid for maintenance of automobiles, etc.	873.72
Paid for Trees for replacements	149.25
Maintenance of Library Square	11.85
	$ 8,882.53
1932, Reserved for Unpaid Bills	167.47
	$ 9,050.00

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE RECREATION COMMISSION PLAINFIELD, N. J.

To the Honorable, the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Plainfield, N. J.

The Board of Recreation Commissioners submit herewith, the tenth annual report of activities conducted during the year ending December 31st, 1932.

A. L. SEIDLER, President
J. G. MULFORD, Secretary
C. D. WARDLAW
E. H. GOODWIN
R. J. HARRIGAN
R. O. SCHLENTER, Director

This Business of Life

Not the working and earning—not the preparation for it—but the glorious process of living it—This is the concern of the Recreation Commission and the following pages tell briefly the extent to which Plainfield has provided for its citizens for 1932.

GROWTH OF LOCAL RECREATION COMMISSION

YEAR	APPROPRIATION	ATTENDANCE
1923	$ 3,750.00	57,631
1924	5,000.00	166,079
1925	6,500.00	181,494
1926	9,000.00	193,267
1927	12,500.00	194,793
1928	14,000.00	211,844
1929	14,000.00	256,663
1930	14,000.00	272,777
1931	14,000.00	295,742
1932	12,500.00	379,203

Less than a mill on the tax budget or approximately 35 cents for every inhabitant in the city per year.

We feel that money spent in the expansion of this Department is an investment which will bring very large returns in the development of the character of the boys and girls upon whom may rest responsibility of carrying on in the years to come.

COMPETITIVE ATHLETICS

	League	Teams	Players	Games	Spec.
Baseball	3	24	3,586	209	35,919
Basket Ball	8	60	5,175	780	5,866
Bowling	9	68	12,046	6010	8,638
Lawn Bowling	1	5	2,472		2,631
Playground Ball	4	28	2,985	336	2,780
Tennis			30,224		
Golf	2	12	8,804	160	
Cricket			885		4,000
Ping Pong			26		120
Archery			60		
Football			120	4	1,500
			66,383	7,499	61,454

ARISTOLES: "The End of the Task is Training People for Leisure".

SPECIAL ACTIVITIES — CELEBRATIONS

MOVIES

The Department provided movies during the playground season for the children, and also for the schools and Community Centers at various times.

PICNICS

Picnic Kits were furnished to over 50 organizations during the year free of charge. The kit included equipment to accommodate the anticipated attendance, suggestions as to games or an outlined program for the day—assisting in making the day one of complete enjoyment.

HOLIDAY CELEBRATIONS

The Washington Bi-Centenial Celebration was the outstanding event of the Department this year. A huge parade of American Legion Posts and all local and civic organizations participated in one of the greatest spectacles Plainfield has witnessed in years. A huge evening Pageant depicting scenes from Washington's career was held free of charge at the High School. The auditorium was filled to an overflow by eight P.M. and it was estimated that thousands were turned away.

FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION

The annual Fourth of July parade was held over one day because of a heavy rainfall during the morning. The parade was held July 5th. The paraders marched the regular line of march but concluded at Greenbrook Park to enjoy a display of fireworks.

HALLOWE'EN CELEBRATION

Our Hallowe'en Celebration and parade was again an outstanding event. The city's young and old turned out to take part or to watch the many wierd and comical costumes of the paraders. To conclude the evening a free movie show was flashed on the screen in front of the City Hall.

CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION

The Christmas program consisted of a lighted tree on the City Hall Plaza. A lighted silhouette of the Nativity was placed on top of the City Hall.

DRAMATICS

The annual Drama Tournaments were conducted in May, one for the Seniors and one for the Juniors. The Proscenium Players won the Paramount Publix Trophy before a capacity house. The High School Players won the Junior Division. Dramatics have taken a decided step forward since these tournaments have been conducted.

NATURE CLUB

The Watchung Nature Club carried on its program of nature study during the year in the form of lectures, hikes, bird study and the collection of various specimens. The club was most fortunate in obtaining noted lecturers to further educate the members at their regular monthly meetings.

ASTRONOMICAL SOCIETY

The astronomical group was originated under the leadership of R. B. Butler. Regular monthly meetings are held at which time a program of lectures are conducted. During November the group met at points where actual observation of the spectacular meteor display was enjoyed. The club membership started with a total of 15 persons and has now a total of 53 active members.

SERVICE

The Recreation Department urges the citizens of the City to call upon them for problems and facilities in athletic source of recreation. We will gladly arrange programs for any social occasion, instruct citizens in the proper methods of conducting the socials, or whenever possible furnish a trained leader. The Department will be pleased to assist any individual,

club or organization in constructive measures, with which their leisure time may be not only healthful but educational.

"If we would have a higher and richer conception of the possibilities of life in this world, play becomes even more essential to their fulfillment."

"Man cannot live by bread alone."

ATHLETICS

GOLF

The Community Golf Club had 8,804 registered players using the course. The stagger system of green fees was put into effect during the month of July—Fees of 25 cents for members after 4:30 P.M. and 50 cents for non-members. This proved to be a very popular plan.

BASEBALL

Baseball was a decided success. Two Senior Leagues played a complete schedule. The Tri City League composed of eight teams, was won by the Plainfield Fire Department. The Industrial League Championship, composed of ten teams was won by the Red Sox. One morning Junior League was won by the Emerson Team. Many independent teams played throughout the season. The City Series was won for the fourth consecutive year by the Plainfield Athletic Club.

TENNIS

Twelve tennis courts were opened to the public free of charge. City wide tournaments for Seniors, Juniors and Women were conducted for the fifth consecutive year. The courts were filled to a capacity, registering over 30,000 players during the year.

BOWLING ON THE GREEN

The Lawn Bowling Club was very active during the year although they were not successful in their quest for the Colgate or the Jas. H. Nielson Trophies. Many of their star bowlers were financially handicapped, but a total of 2,472 players enjoyed this fast growing activity.

BOWLING

Nine bowling leagues were organized consisting of 68 teams rolling a weekly schedule of games. A total of 6,010 games. Leagues were organized for every type of bowler having a league scale of averages from unlimited group to 130 class. The alleys of the Eagles, Elks, Juniors and Recreation were used to fill the needs of these leagues.

BASKETBALL

Plainfield's basketball leagues consisting of 60 teams played a total of 732 games during a 15 week schedule. At the close of the season the annual City Series was held in the new High School Gym. The final game was between the Flying Arrows and the Y. M. C. A., with the former winning by a three point margin. This was no doubt the fastest and most thrilling game in the history of the Championships. In the Intermediate group the Greenbrooks defeated the Y. M. H. A. team. In the Junior group the Atlantics defeated the Moorland Y. This latter group showed surprising basketball talent and will bear watching from year to year.

PLAYGROUND BALL

Three Senior Soft Ball Leagues were organized composing of 22 teams playing a ten week schedule. The winners of each league played for the City Title on Saturday afternoon before a large crowd. The final game was played between the Emerson and a team representing Buck & Benny. The former winning, 3-2 with deciding runs scoring in the last inning.

FOOTBALL

The Brewster Tract was secured late in the Fall and hurriedly put in shape and was used by many organized and unemployed teams. We have a program planned for next year that will enable the Department to have a fine athletic field for baseball, soccer and football.

PING PONG

The second annual City Tournament was held at the Y. M. H. A. auditorium. The finals were played between Robt. Strain and Mario Rossi. The latter winning in two straight matches. The doubles team of Rosenson and Rossi were the finalists.

ARCHERY

Archery was organized for the first time under the leadership of F. J. Smith. The archers enjoyed this sport many Saturdays and Sundays during the summer. With an active membership of twenty-five, the club is looking forward to a successful season next summer.

WOMEN'S AND GIRLS' ACTIVITIES

"Recreation is not a fair-weather luxury. For the young pastime is a vitamin of life; for older folks it is a tonic against the fever of dispair."

AQUATIC CLUB

Swimming facilities provided for women and girls from October until June at High School Pool, proved very successful. Diving instruction being a part of the course under certified life saving instructor.

BASKETBALL

Senior League comprised of girls over 18 years drawn from factory and business groups, 6 teams playing on Jefferson School Court Wednesday evening. Junior League consisted of girls under 18 years, 8 teams playing on Y. W. C. A. court every Wednesday evening.

GYM CLASSES

Groups meeting at St. Bernard's Parish Hall and at High School Gym, under the supervision of accredited gym instructors proved entirely successful both as an evening of fun and healthful exercise.

HIKING CLUB

This group enjoyed the great outdoors in tramps weekends during the year.

TAP DANCING

This activity was largely enjoyed by girls enrolled in various entertainment groups, where this type of dancing added to the attraction.

PLAYGROUND BALL

Eight teams of girls played every evening at Cedarbrook Park from April until August and was enjoyed by many spectators.

COMMUNITY CENTERS

Through the co-operation of the Board of Education evening Community Centers are available for the first time under our supervision. A well balanced program of athletics, handcraft, music and the arts are presented. At present only the Washington and Emerson Schools are open.

PLAYGROUNDS

Playgrounds	May	June	July	August	Sept.	Totals
Muhlenberg	5,104	6,688	6,304	5,392	3,600	27,088
E. Third St.	3,373	13,886	12,226	12,574	2,142	44,201
Emerson	8,363	11,507	10,060	13,532	5,215	48,677
Maxson	5,251	7,113	7,095	9,748	3,805	33,012
Franklin			2,660	2,554		5,214
Day Nursery			3,121	2,675		5,796
Cottage Place			1,434	1,634		3,068
Bryant			2,727	2,444		5,171
Jewish Community Center			2,077	2,365		4,442
Irving			4,240	3,808		8,048
Pool			8,230	8,655		16,885
	22,091	39,194	60,174	65,381	14,762	201,602

Average Daily Playground Attendance 1,738

PLATO: "All Education Should Be Play Up To Nine Years of Age."

Playgrounds fill the need for children of school ages during the summer months. Enforced leisure has increased adult attendance on all grounds.

TOURNAMENTS

Hop Scotch, marbles and Jacks were conducted for the children in the Spring. The winner of the Marble Tournament was entered in the Union County Meet.

COASTING

Whenever coasting was possible, streets having adequate facilities were blocked off with police protection affording additional safety for the children. The Community Golf Club fairways were used by many. Bulletins and newspaper statements were issued urging children to coast in safety and advised against being pulled by automobiles.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PLAINFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY AND READING ROOM, JUNE 1, 1932.

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Plainfield.

Gentlemen:

The Board of Directors of the Plainfield Public Library and Reading-Room, pursuant to the provisions of law in that behalf, hereby make this their Annual Report, stating the conditions of their trust on the first day of June 1932.

The following, showing the receipts and expenditures of money verified by the affidavit of the Treasurer, exhibits the sum of money received from the Library fund and from other sources, and how much moneys have been expended and for what purposes.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE PLAINFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY AND READING ROOM FOR THE YEAR, JUNE 1, 1931 — MAY 31, 1932

General Library Fund

RECEIPTS

From the City of Plainfield, 1931		$29,500.00
From the City of Plainfield, 1932 (Balance due $13,500)		15,000.00
Bank Interest		33.31
Librarian's Petty Cash Receipts:		
Fines	$932.05	
Book rentals, Pay Collection	678.54	
Non-resident subscriptions	141.73	
Replacing lost and injured books	323.57	
Sale of old paper	4.50	
Telephone, paid calls	1.00	
Reading lists	9.09	
Refund: Dixie vender	1.58	
Refund: Babcock Account	31.38	
Refund: Tyler Account	89.84	
Refund: Lincoln Account	71.93	
Refund: Plainfield Art Association	60.00	
Refund: Insurance	8.75	
		$ 2,353.96
Total Receipts		$46,887.27
Balance on Hand, June 1, 1931		$ 7,876.58
Aggregate		$54,763.85

DISBURSEMENTS

Administration:		
Books	$ 3,731.88	
Books, Pay Collection	677.54	
Music	182.30	
Subscriptions to periodicals	535.11	
Binding	328.57	
Stationery, printing, postage, express	884.23	
Library supplies	565.03	
Advertising	312.82	
Miscellaneous:		
Pictures and framing	786.75	
Art Gallery exenses:		
Cartage	15.00	
Extra service, Janitor	40.00	
Sign, etc.	10.25	
Expenses for Plainfield Art Association Exhibits	60.00	
Maintenance:		
Fuel	696.48	
Lights	528.10	
Repairs	430.94	
Extraordinary repairs	26,032.73	
Insurance	454.53	
Telephone	60.42	
Water	58.49	
Ashes	83.70	
Salaries:		
Librarian and Assistants	15.239.84	
Janitor and Page	1,847.70	
Total disbursements		$53,562.41
Balance on hand, June 1, 1932		$ 1,201.44
Aggregate		$54,763.85

THE BABCOCK SCIENTIFIC FUND — INCOME ACCOUNT

RECEIPTS

Interest, Cropsey Const. Company mortgage		$ 330.00	
Interest, Rubinson Real Estate mortgage		96.00	
Interest, Davidson Real Estate mortgage		600.00	
Interest, Mortgage Participation Certificates		30.00	
Interest, Provident Loan Society Certificate		8.50	
Bank interest		7.52	
Total Receipts			$ 1,072.02
Balance on hand, June 1, 1931			790.95
Aggregate			$ 1,862.97

DISBURSEMENTS

Books		$ 636.22	
Subscriptions to periodicals		464.29	
Binding		71.66	
Printing supplement in Book list		63.00	
From Art Fund: ⅓ share Mortgage Participation in Certificate, No. 303	$200.00		
From Art Fund: Mortgage Participation Certificate, No. 49, Series C	100.00		
		$ 300.00	
Total disbursements			$ 1,535.17
Balance on hand, June 1, 1932			$ 325.30

THE MASON W. TYLER FUND — INCOME ACCOUNT

RECEIPTS

Interest, Provident Loan Society Certificate		$ 360.00	
Interest, Manning Real Estate mortgage		300.00	
Bank interest		3.05	
Total Receipts			$ 663.05
Balance on hand June 1, 1931			814.40
Aggregate			$ 1,477.45

DISBURSEMENTS

Books		$ 366.19	
Subscriptions to periodicals		122.53	
Binding		8.00	
From Art Fund: ⅔ share in Mortgage Participation Certificate, No. 303	$400.00		
From Art Fund: Provident Loan Society Certificate	400.00		
		800.00	
Total Disbursements			$ 1,296.72
Balance on hand, June 1, 1932			$ 180.73

ART GALLERY EXHIBITION FUND, INCOME ACCOUNT

RECEIPTS

Interest, Mortgage Participation Certificate	$ 34.40	
Interest, Provident Loan Society Certificate	24.00	
Commission on Art Exhibition Sales	20.25	
Total receipts		$ 78.65
Balance on hand, June 1, 1931		157.32
Aggregate		$ 235.97

DISBURSEMENTS

Toward oil painting	$ 100.00	
Investment, Mortgage Participation Certificate, No. 49, Series C	100.00	
Total disbursements		$ 200.00
Balance on hand, June 1, 1932		$ 35.97

ART GALLERY EXHIBITION FUND, PRINCIPAL ACCOUNT

Capital Account:

Investment, Mortgage Participation Certificate, No. 303	$ 600.00	
Investment, Mortgage Participation Certificate, No. 49, Series C	100.00	
Investment, Provident Loan Society Certificate of Contribution	400.00	
Total capital account		$ 1,100.00

DISBURSEMENTS

Mortgage Participation Certificate, No. 303	$ 600.00	
Mortgage Participation Certificate, No. 49, Series C	100.00	
Provident Loan Society Certificate of Contribution	400.00	
		$ 1,100.00
Total disbursements		— 0 —

PLAINFIELD COMMUNITY CHORUS 1920-1924, VOCAL MUSIC FUND

RECEIPTS

Interest, Mortgage Participation Certificate	$ 11.00
Balance on hand, June 1, 1931	9.36
Balance on hand, June 1, 1932	$ 20.36

THE CAROLINE T. LINCOLN FUND, INCOME ACCOUNT

RECEIPTS

Interest, Cole Real Estate mortgage	$ 300.00
Balance on hand, June 1, 1931	9.14
Total receipts	$ 309.14

DISBURSEMENTS

Books	$ 176.66	
Subscriptions to periodicals	20.05	
Binding	1.25	
Toward oil painting	100.00	
Total disbursements		$ 297.96
Balance on hand, June 1, 1932		$ 11.18

Respectfully submitted,

G. L. BABCOCK,
Treasurer.

June 1, 1932.
State of New Jersey } ss.
County of Union

G. L. Babcock, being first duly sworn, says that the above account is just and true both for the charge and discharge thereof.

Sworn and subscribed to before me
this first day of June, 1932.

G. L. BABCOCK, Treasurer.

F. M. BOWMAN,
Notary Public,
Union County, N. J.
Com. Expires Oct., 31, 1934.

APPENDIX 1.

STATISTICS FOR LIBRARY'S YEAR, JUNE 1931—MAY 1932

TOTAL ACCESSIONS, TOTAL WITHDRAWALS AND ACTUAL WORKING TOTALS.

	Total Volumes	Total Withdrawals	Working Totals
General Library	76,700	22,561	54,139
Music Scores	6,279	24	6,255
Picture Collection	6,242	1	6,241
Babcock Scientific Library	12,490	1,297	11,193
Tyler Library of Americana	3,670	21	3,649
Lincoln Library of Fine Arts	340		340
Totals	105,721	23,904	81,817

SOURCES OF ACCESSIONS, WITHDRAWALS AND TOTAL VOLUMES

GENERAL LIBRARY

Volumes June 1, 1931	54,426	
Purchased	1,901	
Gifts	53	
Binding	44	
	56,424	
Withdrawn	2,285	
Total Volumes, June 1, 1932		54,139

MUSIC SCORES

Volumes June 1, 1931	4,400	
Purchased	1,855	
Gifts		
	6,255	
Withdrawn	—0—	
Total Volumes June 1, 1932		6,255

PICTURE COLLECTION

Mounts June 1, 1931	6,200	
Mounts added	41	
	6,241	
Withdrawn	—0—	
Total Mounts June 1, 1932		6,241

BABCOCK SCIENTIFIC LIBRARY

Volumes June 1, 1931	11,077	
Purchased	191	
Binding	45	
	11,313	
Withdrawn	120	
Total Volumes June 1, 1932		11,193

TYLER LIBRARY

Volumes June 1, 1931	3,544	
Purchased	104	
Gifts		
Binding	4	
	3,652	
Withdrawn	3	
Total Volumes June, 1932		3,649

LINCOLN LIBRARY

Volumes June 1, 1931	289	
Purchased	51	
	340	
Withdrawn	—0—	
Total Volumes June 1, 1932		340

CLASSIFICATION OF VOLUMES ADDED

Bibliography, General works, etc	72	
Philosophy	70	
Theology	70	
Sociology	211	
Philology	8	
Pure Science	153	
Applied Science	213	
Fine Arts, including Music	2,011	
Literature	266	
Biography	197	
Travel	122	
History	146	
Fiction	709	
Picture mounts	41	
Total		4,289

CATALOG DEPARTMENT RECORD

Approximate number of cards in all Catalogs	158,968	
Number of Library of Congress cards added	3,159	
Number of typewritten cards added	8,815	
Approximate total cards in all catalogs	170,942	
Number of cards withdrawn during the year	3,075	
Approximate total cards in all catalogs		167,867

CIRCULATION RECORD

Total Adult and Intermediate Dep'ts. Circulation	131,735	
Total Juvenile Department Circulation	27,605	
Total Extension Department Circulation	33,337	
Entire Total	192,677	
Pay Collection Circulation	9,292	
Grand Total		201,969
Net Gain		25,510

FURTHER INFORMATION ON VOLUMES ADDED

GENERAL LIBRARY

Adult & Intermediate Departments: Cost of new titles purchased upon publication	$ 1,946.90
Adult & Intermediate Departments: Cost of new titles purchased at bargain prices, and also replacements	575.83
Juvenile Department: Cost of new titles purchased	481.80
Juvenile Department: Cost of replacements	132.81

TYLER LIBRARY

Cost of new titles purchased upon publication	$ 275.26
Cost of new titles purchased at bargain prices	90.93

LINCOLN LIBRARY

Cost of new titles purchased upon publication	$ 155.91
Cost of new titles purchased at bargain prices	20.75

PAY COLLECTION

Total new titles purchased	326
Cost of these titles	$ 677.54
Rental returns	678.54

REFERENCE DEPARTMENT

Total Volumes June 1, 1931	17,614	
Volumes added during the year	347	
Total Volumes June 1, 1932		17,961

PERIODICALS AND NEWSPAPERS

PERIODICALS:		
General:		
Adult subscriptions	105	
Intermediate subscriptions	2	
Juvenile subscriptions	7	
Gifts	115	
Babcock Scientific and Technical Library	64	
Tyler Library of Americana	9	
Lincoln Library of Fine Arts	9	
NEWSPAPERS:	10	
Total		321

TOTAL VOLUMES REPAIRED, REBOUND AND WITHDRAWN

Repaired		5,230
Withdrawn		2,408
Rebound:		
Books	499	
Magazines	108	
Total		607

REGISTRATION OF ACTIVE BORROWERS

Total Adult & Intermediate Departments, New Registration	8,139	
Total Juvenile Department, New Registration	3,453	
Total Extension Department, New Registration	2,773	
Entire total of active borrowers		14,365

AMERICAN LIBRARY ASSOCIATION FORM FOR PUBLIC LIBRARY STATISTICS

ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING, MAY 31, 1931

Date of founding	1881
Population served (1930 census)	34,422
Net valuation of city taxable, 1932	$63,310,405
Rate of tax levy for library purposes, not to exceed one-half of a mill, law of 1879 & 1886, but this year actually rec'd 45.16 per cent in mills	
Terms for use:	
Free for lending	
Free for reference	
Subscription to those outside city limits	$3.00 annually
Total number of agencies	5
Consisting of:	
Central library	1
Stations	4
Miscellaneous collections of books supplied	203
Number of days open during the year (Central Library)	363
Hours open each week for lending (Central Library)	76
Hours open each week for reading (Central Library)	76
Hours of service required of staff	38

BOOK STOCK

	Adult & Intermediate	Juvenile	Total
Number of volumes at beginning of year	62,348	6,988	69,336
Number of volumes added by purchase	1,745	502	2,247
Number of volumes added by gift	52	1	53
Number of volumes added by binding not otherwise counted	91	2	93
Total	64,236	7,493	71,729
Number of volumes lost or withdrawn	1,537	871	2,408
Total number at end of year	62,699	6,622	69,321
Number of volumes in Reference Department			17,961
Number of volumes in Intermediate Department			3,422
Number of pictures, photographs and prints added during the year			41
Total number of mounts in Picture Collection, not included in above			6,241
Other Additions:			
Music, not included in above			1,855
Number of newspapers, periodicals, etc., currently received			331
Number of publications issued during the year. 1, with 3,200 issues, namely Quarterly Booklist including the Annual Report, in the July issue			

USE

	Adult & Intermediate	Juvenile	Total
Number of non-fiction volumes lent	75,422	21,692	97,114
Number of fiction volumes lent	65 936	29,627	95,563
Total number of volumes lent	141,358	51,319	192,677
Per cent of fiction lent of total volumes lent	46.66	57.71	49.28
Maintenance expenditure per capita			.851
Maintenance expenditure per circulation			.145
Circulation per capita (1930 census)			5.8 vols.
Number of pictures lent for home use			5,560
Other circulation: Music			7,574
Pay Collection, not included in above			9,292
Intermediate Department			2,734
Student's privilege			14,010
Teacher's privilege			12,551
Evening circulation			44,430
Sunday and Holiday circulation			12,301
Babcock Scientific Library circulation			4,323
Lincoln Library of Fine Arts circulation			1,177
Tyler Library of American History circulation			2,421
Number of persons using the library for reading and study			162,056
Number of persons using the library Sundays			18,574
Number of persons visiting Art Exhibitions, not included above			6,800

REGISTRATION

	Adult & Intermediate	Juvenile	Total
Number of borrowers registered during the year	1,702	738	2,440
Total number of registered borrowers (New registration)	9,841	4,524	14,365
Registration period, years			2
Per cent of registered borrowers of population served			41.7
Number on staff, library service	11 full time, 3 part time		
Number on staff, janitor service	1 full time, 1 part time		

Respectfully submitted,

The Board of Directors of the
Plainfield Public Library and Reading Room,

C. B. TYLER,
President.

T. M. DAY,
Secretary.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

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January 19, 1933.

To the Honorable, the Mayor and the Common Council of the City of Plainfield, New Jersey.

Gentlemen:

The Annual Report of the Board of Adjustment submitted herewith, presents in detail the work of the Board for the past year.

Appeals presented and considered	14
Appeals granted	7
Appeals denied	4
Appeals withdrawn	2
Appeal referred back to the Inspector of Buildings	1
Total	14

Classification of Appeals

"A" RESIDENTIAL ZONE

1—Erection of three single family dwellings on a plot having a frontage of 196 feet ..... Denied

"B" RESIDENTIAL ZONE

1—Convert second story of private garage to a four room apartment ..... Granted
1—Convert private dwelling to a Home for Services ..... Granted
1—Continue to occupy dwelling as a two-family house which was converted illegally ..... Referred back to Inspector of Buildings.

"C" RESIDENTIAL ZONE

1—Erection of business building with a store on first floor and an apartment above ..... Denied
1—Erection of an addition to present bakery for use as a store room ..... Granted
1—Convert present two-family dwelling to a three family apartment house ..... Granted
1—Erection of a drive-in-gasoline service station ..... Withdrawn
1—Erect small office building ..... Granted
1—Convert present private garage to a work shop for repair of cars ..... Withdrawn

"B" RESIDENTIAL AND BUSINESS ZONE

1—Erection of a Medical Center ..... Denied

BUSINESS ZONE

1—Erection of a public garage ..... Granted
1—Erection of a drive-in-gasoline service station ..... Denied

INDUSTRIAL ZONE

1—Erection of a dwelling on the rear of lot and also to rear of present dwelling ..... Granted

The amount of $5.50 was realized from the sale of Zoning Maps and $468.00 from Certificates of Occupancy, making a total of $473.50 deposited to the account of the City Treasurer by John S. Dahl, Inspector of Buildings.

We desire, in this report, to call attention to certain recommendations we have made to you covering changes in the present Zoning Ordinance which we hope may receive your favorable and early consideration.

We also desire to express to you our appreciation for the cooperation that you and all departments of the City have given us in our work.

Respectfully submitted,

BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

C. BENSON WIGTON,
Chairman.

E. K. MORSE,
Secretary.

FORTY-FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT, BOARD OF HEALTH CITY OF PLAINFIELD, NEW JERSEY

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ANDREW J. KROG, Inspector ..... 701 Kensington Avenue
G. VIOLA WRIGHT, Stenographer ..... 534 East 2nd Street

REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT AND SECRETARY

December 31, 1932.

To the Honorable, the Mayor and the Common Council of the City of Plainfield, New Jersey.

Gentlemen:

Herewith is submitted the forty-fourth annual report of the Board of Health.

We have selected from our vital statistics' division certain pertinent figures as a criterion in public health administration.

Estimated Population	36,042
Marriages per 1,000 population	4.74
Births per 1,000 population	15.45
Still-Births per 1,000 population	.27
Deaths per 1,000 population	10.00
Infant death rate per 1,000 births	52.

Communicable Disease Rates

Diphtheria cases per 1,000 population	.13
Scarlet Fever cases per 1,000 population	1.99
Tuberculosis cases per 1,000 population	1.05
Typhoid Fever cases per 1,000 population	None
Infantile Paralysis cases per 1,000 population	.13

The year just passed has seen Mortality and Morbidity Rates for the nation far lower than the most sanguine minded could have foretold, particularly under the stress of economic unbalance in which we are at present.

While it is our hope that this era of physical well being shall continue, we cannot foretell other than that it will require continual vigilance together with unremitting cooperation on the part of the public to maintain this record as a standard.

We have been spared any major outbreak of communicable disease during the past year but we must again stress the need for adequate facilities for the care of cases which cannot be properly isolated at home.

The necessity for municipal collection and disposal of household waste is becoming more and more acute as our community grows. The financial conditions at present, however, are such that a change could hardly be considered at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

STEPHEN H. VOORHEES,
President.

N. J. RANDOLPH CHANDLER,
Secretary.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Financial Statement

Appropriation from Common Council		$19,700.00
Disbursements:		
Actual expenditures to December 31, 1932	$19,140.14	
Reserve Fund	559.86	
		$19,700.00

RECEIPTS

Reimbursements, fees, fines, etc.		
Plumbing permit and Examination Fees	524.50	
Milk license fees	433.00	
Garbage and Offal license fees	122.00	
Ice	150.00	
Barbers, Hairdressing establishments	97.00	
Poultry Slaughter houses and Slaughterers	20.00	
Examination of cultures	6.00	
Analysis milk, water, etc.)	14.00	
Reimbursements:		
(Biological products, etc.)	106.22	
Vital Statistics	690.00	
Fines	35.00	
Weed Cutting	54.36	
		$ 2,252.08

DISBURSEMENTS

Salaries	$13,027.96	
Laboratory	173.50	
Communicable Disease	2,797.19	
General	3,141.49	
Contingency	506.45	19,140.14
Reserve Fund		559.86
		$19.700.00

REPORT OF THE PLUMBERS' EXAMINING BOARD

December 31, 1932

To the Board of Health, Plainfield, New Jersey.

Gentlemen:

The following is submitted as the Report of the Plumbers' Examining Board for the year, 1932:

Number of examinations held	2
Number of applicants examined	2
Number Master Plumber's licenses issued	2
Number not issued	0

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT I. LITTELL,
Secretary.

PLUMBERS' EXAMINING BOARD.

REPORT OF THE HEALTH OFFICER

December 31, 1932.

To the Board of Health, Plainfield, New Jersey.

Gentlemen:

The annual report for the year 1932, submitted herewith presents in comprehensive detail the summary of the activities of the Department.

These activities are classified in accordance with modern Public Health practice.

VITAL STATISTICS

These are the figures which present for study the true bookkeeping of Life. They are indeed the pulse of public welfare of our Community wellbeing.

While our rates continue low for this year, as they have for the entire country, we must not forget nor overlook the fact that we have been working for these low rates ever since the opening of the present century.

We must not complacently survey them with pride and consider for an instant that we have established the all time record which requires only sitting tight to maintain. No indeed! As these figures represent the consistently growing effort of the past three decades, so will our efforts this coming year and next and the next tend to overcome the handicap which today's generation just a borning is under in the present state of financial instability and upheaval.

Average marriage rate for past ten years	206
Average birth rate for the past ten years	631
Average still-birth rate for the past ten years	21
Average death rate for the past ten years	335

COMMUNICABLE DISEASE

Supplemental to Vital Statistics, we must consider Morbidity Statistics showing the prevalence or incidence of communicable disease.

Of the various types of illness or disease which man is heir to, a list of some thirty-eight represent those which have made mankind Public Health conscious. In fact it was the prevalence and spread of such diseases as the plague, cholera and smallpox thru maritime commerce which first brought forth methods of quarantine and isolation.

There are of the reportable communicable diseases few more easily controlled today than Diphtheria, Smallpox and Typhoid Fever thru vaccination and immunization. Smallpox vaccination has long since been necessary for admittance to our schools and each year we are required by law to make public offer of free vaccination for both this disease and Typhoid Fever. In this work Muhlenberg Hospital has aided very materially by administering without cost the necessary inoculations upon our furnishing the vaccines. That we might broaden this field of usefulness, we have added Diphtheria immunization to this list and such other preventive measures for other diseases as may from time to time prove of practical value.

Our total cases of communicable disease show a favorable decrease over last year with none of the major diseases in unusual prevalence.

SCARLET FEVER

This disease with few exceptions, has shown a very mild character during the past five years. Unfortunately, we have not yet obtained a means of prevention comparable with Diphtheria immunization.

DIPHTHERIA

While the slogan of five years ago was "no Diphtheria by 1930", common sense forbids our considering such a state of wellbeing as even remotely possible.

It is true that the vast majority of persons can be immunized against this infection which primarily is a children's disease. Every child after six months of age should be protected by immunization with either toxin antitoxin or toxoid.

Every case in a child under ten years of age can be looked upon as due to failure to have had the protection which scientific practice has provided with such ease and safety. The table on immunization is given.

Public Schools		207
Board of Health Clinic:		
Schick Test	123	
Toxoid	46	169
Day Nursery		23
King's Daughter's Shelter		0
St. Mary's Parochial School:		
Schick Test	0	
Toxoid	77	77
St. Bernard's Parochial School:		
Schick Test	0	
Toxoid	49	49
		525

INFANTILE PARALYSIS

A scattering of this disease was noted during the year centering in Philadelphia and in southern New Jersey. We had five mild cases with no deaths. We continued providing the serum from that prepared last year. Thru distorted publicity, the value of this serum has been questioned but the concensus of opinion among medical men continues to approve its use. Until such time as a definite treatment and cure for this disease is developed, we shall endeavor to have the serum available for our physicians.

TYPHOID FEVER

No cases! Such a record for an entire year for 36,000 people would have, a few years ago, been incredible. Today it can be an unlauded fact. Such is the progress of Public Health. A steady relentless march of education, improved sanitation, clean, safe milk and other foods together with a water supply above question and we expect and accept such a record as but natural.

The following table giving the number of cases and deaths reported during the year, is a comparison of the present year with the two preceding years:

	1930		1931		1932	
	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths
Scarlet Fever	206	1	66	0	72	1
Diphtheria	30	4	4	0	5	0
Typhoid Fever	3	0	1	0	0	0
Tuberculosis	32	5	48	10	38	14
Pneumonia	46	24	70	27	68	13
Influenza	1	1	18	0	30	6
Measles	51	1	81	0	66	0
German Measles	125	0	17	0	6	0
Chicken Pox	51	1	127	0	64	0
Whooping Cough	22	0	88	2	114	1
Cerebro Spinal Meningitis	0	0	2	0	1	1
Trichinosis	0	0	0	0	0	0
Paratyphoid Fever	1	0	1	1	0	0
Poliomyelitis	0	0	12	1	5	0
Miscellaneous	6	0	8	0	12	6
	574	37	543	41	481	42

VITAL STATISTICS

	Occurring in City	*Occurring out of City	Total Residents	Non Residents	Total
Marriages	140	31	171	57	228
Births	533	24	557	422	979
Still-Births	10	0	10	13	23
Deaths	346	18	364	146	510
	1029	73	1102	638	1740

COMPARATIVE TABLE — RESIDENTS

(Rates are per thousand population and are based on total residents)

Year	Marriages No.	Marriages Rates	Births No.	Births Rates	Still-Births No.	Still-Births Rates	Deaths No.	Deaths Rates
1926	244	7.50	634	19.49	23	.71	364	11.19
1927	217	6.52	672	20.21	30	.90	332	9.91
1928	266	7.83	674	19.84	30	.88	374	11.00
1929	239	6.89	615	17.45	17	.49	328	9.49
1930	219	6.30	600	17.26	14	.40	324	9.35
1931	212	5.99	606	17.12	17	.48	345	9.74
1932	171	4.74	557	15.45	10	.27	364	10.00

*These figures are obtained from copies of certificates received from other Municipalities

NATIONALITY TABLES

Marriages, Births, Still-Births and Deaths

	Marriages Brides	Marriages Bridegrooms	Births Mothers	Births Fathers	Still-Births Mothers	Still-Births Fathers	Deaths
Austria-Hungary	0	0	6	5	0	0	6
England	0	2	7	8	0	0	8
France	0	0	2	0	0	0	1
Germany	1	1	8	8	0	0	9
Ireland	8	8	13	11	0	0	20
Italy	2	7	47	66	1	2	13
Russia	0	0	6	8	0	0	8
Scotland	3	1	6	5	0	0	4
United States	119	114	417	395	9	8	260
Other Countries	7	7	21	19	0	0	16
Not Stated	0	0	0	8	0	0	1
		140		533		10	346

MARRIAGES

The following table will show you the marriages according to ages:

	Brides	Bridegrooms
Minors	5	8
Under 25 years	90	58
25-30 years	26	36
30-35 years	6	16
35-40 years	7	8
40-45 years	1	8
45-50 years	3	2
50-60 years	2	4
Over 60 years	0	0
		140

The following table will show the number of first, second and third marriages.

First	135	125
Second	5	15
Third	0	0
		140
White	113	113
Colored	27	27
		140

BIRTHS

Sex — Male	Sex — Female	Color — White	Color — Colored
273	260	420	113
533		533	

NUMBER OF CHILDREN

First	185	
Second	142	
Third	74	
Fourth	36	
Fifth	27	
Sixth	30	
Seventh	12	
Eighth	7	
Ninth	9	
Tenth	6	
Eleventh	2	
Twelfth	2	
Thirteenth	1	
		533
Number of children born in Hospital	378	
Number of children born at Home	155	
		533
Number attended by physicians	510	
Number attended by midwives	11	
Number unattended	12	
		533

STILL-BIRTHS

Sex		Color	
Male	Female	White	Colored
3	7	6	4
10		10	

PERIOD OF GESTATION

	Full Term	8 Months	7 Months	6 Months	Less	Total
Native White	3	1	0	0	1	5
Foreign White	1	0	0	0	0	1
Colored	1	1	0	2	0	4
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0
	5	2	0	2	1	10

NUMBER OF CHILDREN OF MOTHER

	Native White	Foreign White	Colored	Total
First	4	0	0	4
Second	0	1	0	1
Third	0	0	2	2
Fourth	0	0	0	0
Fifth	0	0	1	1
Sixth	1	0	0	1
Seventh	0	0	0	0
Eighth	0	0	0	0
Ninth	0	0	0	0
Tenth	0	0	0	0
Eleventh	0	0	0	0
Twelfth	0	0	1	1
	5	1	4	10

CAUSE OF STILL BIRTH

Prematurity	1	
Unknown	5	
Congenital Deformity	1	
Loss of circulation due to tight cord	1	
Premature Separation of Placenta	1	
Spina Bifida	1	
		10

PLACE OF STILL-BIRTH

Hospitals	5	
Homes	5	
		10
Attended by Physicians	10	

DEATHS

Sex		Color		Conjugal State				Not	
Male	Female	White	Colored	Single	Married	Widowed	Divorced	Stated	Total
165	181	290	56	80	165	94	5	2	346

AGES

Under 1 week	17	40—45 years	14
1 week—1 month	1	45—50 years	28
1 month—1 year	10	50—55 years	33
1—2 years	2	55—60 years	28
2—5 years	5	60—65 years	42
5—10 years	1	65—70 years	37
10—15 years	2	70—75 years	23
15—20 years	5	75—80 years	28
20—25 years	10	80—90 years	38
25—30 years	3	90—100 years	5
30—35 years	5		
35—40 years	9		346

PRINCIPAL CAUSES OF DEATH

I. Epidemic, Endemic and Infectious Diseases:

Tuberculosis	14
Influenza	6
Septicemia	2
Scarlet Fever	1
Syphilis	2
Whooping Cough	1
Encephalitis	1
Erysipelas	1
	— 28

II. General Diseases not included in Class I:

Diabetes	8
Cancer	44
Rheumatic Heart Disease	2
Cirrhosis of Liver	2
Pituitary Neoplasm	1
	— 57

III. Diseases of the Nervous System and of the Organs of Special Sense:

Cerebral Hemorrhage	33
Chronic Otisis Media	1
Myelitis	1
Cerebral Thrombosis	2
Cerbospinal Meningitis	1
Glossopharyngeal paralysis	1
General Paresis	1
Cerebral Embolism	1
Spinal Cord Degeneration	1
Tabes Dorsalis	1
Encephalomalacia	1
	— 44

IV. Diseases of the Circulatory System:

Endo and Myocarditis	75
Angina Pectoris	10
Arterio Sclerosis	5
Cardio Vascular Renal Disease	1
Coronary Thrombosis	7
Hemorrhage into Adbomen	1
	— 99

V. Diseases of the Respiratory System:

Pneumonia	13
Bronchitis	1
Asthma	1
	— 15

VI. Diseases of the Digestive System:

Gastro Enteritis	3
Peritonitis	1
Tonsillitis	1
Gall Stones	2
Appendicitis	4
Gastric Ulcer	2
Duodenal Ulcer	1
Ulcerative Colitis	2
Cirrhosis of Liver	2
Intestinal Obstruction	2
Acute Gastritis	1
Acute Cholecystitis	1
	— 22

VII. Nonvenereal Diseases of the Genitourinary System:		
Nephritis	31	
Uremia	4	
Stricture of Urethria	1	
Cardio-Renal-Vascular Sclerosis	1	
		37
VIII. The Puerperal State:		
Uterine Hemorrhage	1	
Ruptured Ectopic Pregnancy	1	
Abortion	1	
		3
IX. Diseases of the Skin and of the Cellular Tissues:		
Gangrene	1	
		1
X. Diseases of the Bones and of the Organs of Locomotion:	0	0
XI. Malformations:		
Congenital Heart Disease	2	
Pylorospasm	1	
Hydrocephalus	2	
		5
XII. Early Infancy:		
Injury at birth	1	
Prematurity	9	
Asphyxia	3	
Marasmus	1	
		14
XIII. Old Age:		
Senility	1	
XIV. External Causes:		
Burns	3	
Suicides	5	
Automobile Accidents	8	
Falls	3	
Accident	1	
		20
XV. Ill Defined Diseases:	0	0
		346

BACTERIOLOGICAL WORK

Specimens	RESULTS Negative	?	Positive	Total
Diphtheria	280	3	3	286
Vincent's Angina	37	0	15	52
Tuberculosis	43	1	4	48
Gonorrhea	157	9	52	218
Typhoid	0	0	1	1
Malaria	0	0	0	0
Total	518	13	74	605

TUBERCULOSIS

Type	Total	Under 5	5-20	20-40	40-60	Over 60	W.	C.	M.	F.	M.	S.	W.
Lungs	36	1	5	17	9	4	29	7	22	14	18	16	2
Lungs and Glands	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0
Skin	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0

Deaths of residents in Plainfield	14	
Deaths of residents out of Plainfield	8	
		22
No. of deaths of cases reported during 1932	11	
No. of deaths of cases reported previous to 1932	11	
		22
Case rate per 1,000 population	1.05	
* Death rate per 1,000 population	.61	
* Percentage of all deaths	6.04	

* Based on total deaths of residents in Plainfield and out of Plainfield.

MENTAL HYGIENE CLINIC

This State Clinic sponsored by us and accepted by the Hospital where it is held twice a month is doing another splendid piece of preventive medicine.

Case histories could they be reviewed in this report, would convince the most skeptical of the unusual value of this free service furnished by the Department of Institutions and Agencies from their Holmdel headquarters. The table herewith gives the salient tho only meagre facts which can be broadcast. Suffice it to cite this, that breadwinners have been retained in their occupation, adolescents carried thru trying periods of mental unrest and families kept happy and unbroken thru timely aid in incipient mental instability.

Number of patients attending clinic — Adults		50
Male	19	
Female	31	
Juveniles		100
Male	67	
Female	33	

Number of New patients:	95
Number of return patients:	55
Psychiatric examinations made:	136
Psychological examinations:	76

VENEREAL DISEASE

This group of so called social diseases is the bane and plague of civilization. For centuries they have been accepted without any attempt at eradication. This country's experience in selecting men for military service brought about the first intelligent and concerted attempt at curtailing their inroads into the health of our youth.

One of the first, if not the first, free clinic established by the United States Public Health Service was at Muhlenberg Hospital sponsored by this Board. This was in 1917. Free treatment for all comers was the order of the day and our efforts were backed by generous and well prepared advertising.

This clinic grew and filled a very definite need. Later the Federal Government, after the close of the war, withdrew its support at which time the State Health Department carried on, later furnishing a Medical Case Worker and drugs only, upon our furnishing the Clinicians. This was later followed by the present plan of our supporting the Clinic, exclusive of drugs which are furnished by the Hospital from funds collected from those able to pay the routine clinic fee.

This year we made a proposition to other Boards of Health to administer treatment to residents of their communities if they would pay the clinic fee. This is for the protection of our own people for many sources of infection are located outside of Plainfield.

This has proved very satisfactory in that it keeps under skilled care and treatment individuals who would otherwise have only medical care during acute symptoms and would continue indefinitely as a menace to society.

The fees collected more than covered the drug costs and the plan has been heartily approved by the State and other Boards of Health Clinics are following this example.

Our clinic staff has remained the same since we took over the work. Two Clinicians who alternate in service Monday and Thursday evenings. Our Medical Case Worker is also our Public Health Nurse while at no cost one or more nurses as well as interne service is provided by the Hospital.

This Clinic is doing, we believe, one of the most far reaching bits of Public Health Work yet undertaken both by treatment of cases and thru education of individuals and families.

A tremendous field is further covered thru the distribution of literature furnished free by the State and some of the insurance companies. One enterprising plan inaugurated by us is the distribution of literature to the graduating class of our High School thru the parents to whom we write a personal letter enclosing the literature. Much favorable comment is had from this plan each year. This reaches but a percentage of homes it is true and in no line of health activity is greater ignorance to be found than in this field of intimate social relations where timely education can forestall untold misery and where skilled and adequate treatment of the diseased can do much to prevent crime and insanity.

VENEREAL DISEASES

New patients were referred to the Clinic from the following sources:

Physicians	34	
Family or Friends	49	
Muhlenberg Hospital Clinics	70	
Muhlenberg Hospital Wards	46	
Visiting Nurse Association	8	
Merchant Marine Steamship Co.	1	
Health Department, Bloomfield, N. J.	1	
Health Department, North Plainfield, N. J.	1	
Union County Tuberculosis League	1	
Westfield Social Service Worker	5	
Social Service Department, Muhlenberg Hospital	4	
Bellevue Clinic, New York City	1	
Clinton Reformatory	2	
Police Department, Plainfield, N. J.	1	
School Nurse	1	
Medical Case Worker (Personal Application)	42	
Annandale Reformatory	1	
		268

Patients were referred to other Clinics and Organizations as follows:

Medical Clinic	3	
Surgical Clinic	3	
Dermatology Clinic	4	
Gynecological Clinic	2	
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Clinic	1	
Pre-Natal Clinic	1	
Bellevue Hospital V. D. Clinic	1	
Alexian Brothers Hospital thru Westfield Health Dep't.	1	
Annandale Reformatory	1	
Muhlenberg Hospital for admission	3	
To physicians	6	
To hospital for Spinal Wasserrmans	11	
		37
Total number of Home and Co-Operative visits		762

PATIENTS:

White	2802	
Colored	1759	
		4561
Total Fees Collected for year 1932		$749.90

VENEREAL DISEASES

New Patients admitted to V. D. Clinic.

	Syphillis	Gonorrhea	Chancroid	Total
Male	121	27	0	148
Female	116	4	0	120
	237	31	0	268
Old Cases under Treatment				
Male	693	30	0	723
Female	815	18	0	833
	1,508	48	0	1,556
Number of Cases Discharged as arrested or cured				
Male	56	10	0	66
Female	63	3	0	66
	119	13	0	132
Discontinued Treatment without Permission				
Male	59	1	0	60
Female	63	0	0	63
	122	1	0	123

Number of Treatments	Arsphenamin	Syphillis Mercury, Bismuth, etc.	Gonorrhea
Male	356	1656	20
Female	354	1659	71
	710	3315	91

Number of Laboratory Tests	Wasserman	Syphillis Dark Field	Gonorrhea
Positive	60	1	20
Negative	235		71
Doubtful	27		0
Report not yet returned	9		
	331	1	91

Total number of Visits to Clinic for Treatment, Examination or Advice 4,561

CHILD HYGIENE

The following visits were made in connection with Infant Welfare during the year:

Well babies	159	
Boarding Homes	18	
		177

INFANT MORTALITY

Year	* No. Births	No. Deaths Under one year	No. Deaths per 1,000 births
1922	727	55	75
1923	636	48	75
1924	707	41	58
1925	655	41	63
1926	634	40	63
1927	667	27	40
1928	665	33	50
1929	615	25	41
1930	591	23	39
1931	589	32	54
1932	533	28	52

Maternal Death rate per 1,000 births 5

* Residential Births occuring in Plainfield

INFANT MORTALITY CAUSES

Cause	Color		Sex		Ages							Nativity of Mother			Total
	White	Coolred	Male	Female	Under 1 day	1—7 days	7 days—1 month	1—2 months	2—4 months	4—8 months	8—12 months	United States	Italy	Poland	Czecho-Slovakia	Total
Erysipelas	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Whooping Cough	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1
Injury at Birth	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Pulmonary Atelectasis	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Hydrocephalus	2	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	2
Pylorospasm	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Congenital Heart Disease	2	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2
Ulcerative Colitis	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1
Gastro-enteritis	3	0	2	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	2	0	1	0	3
Prematurity	6	3	3	6	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	7	1	0	1	9
Asphyxia	2	1	1	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	3
Cerebral Hemorrhage	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Marasmus	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Broncho Pneumonia	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
	22	6	11	17	14	3	1	2	3	2	3	23	3	1	1	28

HEART AND CANCER DEATHS

While these two conditions are in no wise communicable from person to person, they do present a growing public health hazard. The increase in their death rates are no longer cause for casual inquiry but are in fact startling.

"How to Live Longer" can indeed be the Public Health slogan for the individual, for it is a fact that prompt recognition of these conditions early enough can carry the majority of those afflicted well thru to old age.

Complete and regular examinations under the most skilled medical supervision, started early in life, will overcome and more frequently forestall conditions tending towards either of these increasing destructive diseases.

Early recognition of either demonstrates the need in many cases for mere change of habit for fore-warned is indeed fore-armed against a very potent and diabolitical enemy.

It might well be hoped that a well organized and operated pay clinic for this service could be instituted at our Hospital.

HEART DISEASE

Male		Female	
White	33	White	36
Colored	6	Colored	10
	— 39		— 46

Total 85

AGES

	M.	F.		M.	F.
1-10 years	1	0	50-60 years	8	7
10-15 years	0	0	60-70 years	10	7
15-20 years	1	0	70-80 years	6	10
20-30 years	0	2	80-90 years	6	8
30-40 years	1	1	90-100 years	1	0
40-50 years	5	7		—	—
				39	46

NATIVITY

	M.	F.		M.	F.
England	0	0	Scotland	0	1
United States	28	35	Russia	1	1
Ireland	2	4	Other Countries	4	1
Italy	3	2	Not Stated	0	0
Germany	0	1		—	—
Austria	1	1		39	46

CONJUGAL STATE

Single	6	6	Not known	2	0
Married	27	20		—	—
Widowed	4	20		39	46

CANCER

Organ	Color: White	Color: Colored	Ages: 15 years	Ages: 30—40 years	Ages: 40—50 years	Ages: 50—60 years	Ages: 60—70 years	Ages: 70—80 years	Ages: 80—90 years	Nativity: United States	Nativity: Italy	Nativity: England	Nativity: Scotland	Nativity: Ireland	Nativity: Austria	Nativity: Germany	Nativity: Russia	Nativity: Other Countries	Conjugal State: Single	Conjugal State: Married	Conjugal State: Widowed	Conjugal State: Divorced
MALE																						
Esophagus	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
Liver	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
Sigmoid	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Stomach	3	3	0	1	1	0	1	3	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	1
Adrenal	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Mediastinum	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Bladder	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
Prostate	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
	11	4	1	2	1	2	4	3	2	10	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	8	4	1
FEMALE																						
Mediastinum	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
Rectum	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Stomach	3	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	0
Gall Bladder	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
Lip	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
Ovary	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	0
Uterus	3	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	0
General	2	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Sigmoid	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Pancreas	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Colon	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
Liver	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0
Breast	4	1	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	1	0
	26	3	0	1	3	11	8	2	4	18	0	0	0	3	2	1	1	4	2	15	12	0

DOG BITES

There have been eight cases of rabies in dogs occurring in 1932. While the number of persons taking treatment shows a decrease, the number of dog bites investigated was practically the same as last year.

Number of persons bitten by dogs	95
Number of dogs' heads sent to State Laboratory of Hygiene for examination	4
Number of rabid dogs diagnosed by veterinarian	5
Number of suspicious rabid dogs diagnosed by veterinarian	1
Number of persons taking Anti-Rabic treatment	10

CIRCUSES AND CARNIVALS

This form of amusement is a menace to our community health and morals and one which we have emphatically condemned in the past.

The supervision is a costly one for one man must keep the premises under continual observation while they are in town and the supervision of cleaning the lot requires time that could well be spent to greater advantage to our taxpayers.

Then too, they take from our City monies which could be spent to far greater advantage for food and clothing by those ill able to afford to waste their meagre funds.

SWIMMING POOLS

In addition to the analysis of water from our regular pools, we followed last year's procedure of sampling the water at Watchung Lake during the season.

Based upon our findings, we had made recommendations for treatment of the water which the owners gladly carried out.

All tests showed a very wide measure of safety which, considering the heavy bathing loads, was very satisfactory to those many citizens of Plainfield who took advantage of the short run for a dip and a swim.

FOOD AND DRINK

As has been our practice for many years, this branch of service is conducted with thoroughness and dispatch.

Sanitary conditions under which food and beverages are produced, handled and distributed has more public health significance than vitamin content, caloric value or bulk and roughage content.

Early in the year, Chapter 131 of the Laws of 1932 was enacted. This law increased the responsibility of local boards of health, thru greater powers of control. No longer can milk or cream be brought into New Jersey without ample guarantee of methods of production. But very few Boards of Health had ever undertaken proper inspection which is now required and—sanitary conditions must in every instance equal the same standards as those of New Jersey farms.

This means that every source of milk supply coming into New Jersey is under official supervision and a record of such supervision is on file at Trenton. In guarding against duplication of effort, we have arranged with other Boards of Health and the State Department to exchange reports by filing with the Department at Trenton.

Once more I would emphasize the fact that no city has a milk supply of better quality and safety than that distributed in Plainfield under the three recognized classifications.

MILK, CREAM AND WATER

Number of samples analyzed:

MILK:		
Regular supply	1,476	
Special Samples	77	
Examinations for Streptococcus	155	
		1,708
CREAM:		
Regular supply	433	
		433
Mother's Milk	1	
		1
Other Beverages	8	
		8
Ice Cream	6	
		6
WATER:		
Regular supply—City	9	
Swimming Pools	22	
Other Sources	13	
		44
		2,200

AVERAGE ANALYSES OF ALL SAMPLES OF MILK FOR PAST TWENTY-NINE YEARS

Year	Fats	Solids	Bacteria Per CC
1903	4.27	13.20	63,000
1910	3.99	13.05	39,000
1920	3.62	13.06	48,000
1921	3.53	12.16	44,000
1922	3.69	12.29	34,000
1923	3.69	12.26	39,000
1924	3.65	12.27	34,000
1925	3.52	12.21	39,000
1926	3.58	12.23	34,000
1927	3.68	12.33	36,000
1928	3.62	12.20	39,000
1929	3.90	12.22	35,000
1930	3.64	12.19	32,000
1931	3.72	12.32	28,000
1932	3.74	12.32	23,000

AVERAGE NUMBER OF BACTERIA PER CC

CERTIFIED MILKS

Name	Bacteria per CC
Woodbrook Farms	2,200
Borden's Farm Prod. Co. (Walker Gordon)	2,600
Alderney Dairy Co. (Walker Gordon)	2 800
Plfd. Milk & Cream Co. (Walker Gordon)	3,100
Plfd. Milk & Cream Co. (Raritan Valley)	3.600
Schmalz Farms (Raritan Valley)	5,200
Sheffield Farms (Pompton Plains, N. Y.)	6,200
Borden's Farm Prod. Co. (Goshen, N. Y.)	7,600

OTHER RAW MILKS
(Tuberculin Tested)

Codington, W. R. (Riveredge Farm)	3,700
Brand, John (Green Meadow Farm)	4,600
Krog, R. H. (Hickory Grove)	5,100
Hermansen, K. (Glendale Stirling Farm)	5,900
Muller, W. F. (Maple Grove Farm)	8,000
Bosshardt, A. (Bosshardt Dairy)	9,000
Blossom Hill Farms—Holstein	10,000
Freiday, Peter Jr. (Eugene Bower's Farm)	13,000
Crivello Bros. (Raritan Valley)	14,000
Blossom Hill Farms	14,000
Voorhies, Mrs. C. (Grotto Farm)	14,000
Plfd. Milk & Cream Co.	15,000
Kane, Hugh J. (Raritan Valley)	18,000
Schmalz Farms	22,000
Stoepel, William (Raritan Valley)	24,000
Quick, F. G, F. G. Guernsey (Dunwalke Farm)	25.000
Schmalz Farms, Guernsey	35 000
Gould, A. F. Jersey Special (Springdale Farm)	35,000
Gould, A. F. Springdale Farm	39,000
Corley, John, Guernsey (B. R. Waldron Creamery)	66,000
Nelson, A. B. (Pleasant Valley Farm)	84,000
Waldron, Percy (Raritan Valley)	100,000
Squier, Jay F. (B. R. Waldron Creamery)	100,000
McGrath, Joseph (Pleasant Valley Farm)	112,000
Muller, J. F. (Hyland Farm)	117,000

PASTEURIZED MILKS

Woodbrook Farms — Special	1,700
Borden's Farm Prod. Co. "A" (Dryden, N. Y.)	1,8000
Sheffield Farms "A" (Ulster, Pa.)	3,900
Schmalz Farms "A" G. Guernsey	5,600
Alderney Dairy Co. "A"	7,000
Schmalz Farms "A"	7,000
Plfd. Milk & Cream Co. "A"	7,000
Alderney Dairy Co.	8,000
Lee, James N. "A" (Durling Farms)	9 000
Plfd. Milk & Cream Co.	9,000
Green Pasture Dairies "A" (B. R. Waldron Creamery)	9,000
Woodbrook Farms "A"	10,000
Schmalz Farms	10,000
Beiler, C. H. & H. C. (Dairymen's League)	13,000
Quick, F. "A" (Durling Farms)	13,000
Siegel, Martin "A" (Supreme M. & C. Co. Creamery)	13.000
Sheffield Farms (Wysox Pa.)	15,000
Corley, John "A" (Durling Farms)	15,000
Squier, Jay F. "A" (Supreme M. & C. Co. Creamery)	15,000
Kane, Hugh J. "A" (Supreme M. & C. Co. Creamery)	15,000
Forsgate Farm "A"	16,000
Green Pasture Dairies (B. R. Waldron Creamery)	16,000
Forsgate Farm	18,000
Woodbrook Farms "A" G. Guernsey (Hightstown, N. J.)	19,000
Thermann Dairy "A" (Supreme M. & C. Co. Creamery)	20,000
Woodbrook Farms (Dairymen's League)	21,000
Corley, John (B. R. Waldron Creamery)	21,000
Siegal, Martin (Supreme M. & C. Co. Creamery)	21,000
Beiler, C. H. & H. C. "A" (Durling Farms)	22,000
Squier, Jay F. (B. R. Waldron Creamery)	22,000
Borden's Farm Prod. Co. (Newark Valley, N. Y.)	24,000
Kane, Hugh J. (Supreme M. & C. Co. Creamery)	24,000
Quick, F. (Raritan Valley Farm)	26,000
Crivello Bros. (Supreme M. & C. Co. Creamery)	28,000
Crivello Bros. "A" (Supreme M. & C. Co. Creamery)	37,000
Swerdloff, J. "A" (Supreme M. & C. Co. Creamery)	54,000
Waldron, Percy (Raritan Valley Farm)	56,000

AVERAGE PERCENTAGE OF FATS AND SOLIDS

Name	Class	Fats	Solids
Codington, W. R. (River Edge Farm)	Raw	5.07	13.91
Woodbrook Farms (Hightstown, N. J.)	Pasteurized "A" G. G.	4.77	13.76
Schmalz Farms	Pasteurized "A" G. G.	4.75	13.90
Quick, F. (Dunwalke Farm)	Raw G. G.	4.68	13.59
Schmalz Farms	Raw Guernsey	4.51	13.46
Brand, John (Green Meadow Farm)	Raw	4.43	13.29
Hermansen, K. (Glendale Stirling Farm)	Raw	4.41	13.44
Squier, Jay F. (B. R. Waldron Creamery)	Raw Guernsey	4.19	12.85
Forsgate Farm	Pasteurized "A"	4.19	12.65
Corley, John (B. R. Waldron Creamery)	Raw Guernsey	4.14	12.94
Gould, A. F. (Springdale Farm)	Raw Jersey Special	4.13	13.21
Borden's Farm Prod. Co. (Goshen, N. Y.)	Certified	4.08	12.77
Borden's Farm Prod. Co. (Walker Gordon)	Certified	4.02	12.67
Schmalz Farms (Raritan Valley Farm)	Certified	4.01	12.76
Plfd. Milk & Cream Co. (Walker Gordon)	Certified	4.01	12.75
Plfd. Milk & Cream Co. (Raritan Valley)	Certified	3.96	12.68
Alderney Dairy Co. (Walker Gordon)	Certified	3.95	12.59
Sheffield Farms (Pompton Plains, N. Y.)	Certified	3.93	12.72
Woodbrook Farms	Pasteurized Special	3.91	12.66
Woodbrook Farms	Certified	3.91	12.65
Crivello Bros. (Raritan Valley)	Raw	3.90	12.41
Plfd. Milk & Cream Co.	Raw	3.87	12.51
Kane, Hugh J. (Raritan Valley)	Raw	3.84	12.75
Alderney Dairy Co.	Pasteurized "A"	3.79	12.20
Schmalz Farms	Pasteurized "A"	3.73	12.41
Sheffield Farms (Ulster, Pa.)	Pasteurized "A"	3.73	12.13
Borden's Farm Prod. Co. (Dryden, N. Y.)	Pasteurized "A"	3.68	12.20
Nelson, A. B. (Pleasant Valley Farm)	Raw	3.66	12.16
Schmalz Farms	Raw	3.65	12.18
Sheffield Farms (Wysox, Pa.)	Pasteurized	3.65	12.14
Woodbrook Farms	Pasteurized "A"	3.63	12.16
Waldron, Percy (Raritan Valley Farm)	Pasteurized	3.63	12.05
Plfd. Milk & Cream Co.	Pasteurized "A"	3.62	12.12
Forsgate Farm	Pasteurized	3.61	12.07
Bosshardt Dairy	Raw	3.60	12.00
Stoepel, Wm. (Raritan Valley Farm)	Raw	3.58	14.49
McGrath, Joseph (Pleasant Valley Farm)	Raw	3.57	12.03
Waldron, Percy (Raritan Valley Farm)	Raw	3.54	12.39
Gould, A. F. (Springdale Farm)	Raw	3.53	12.27
Blossom Hill Farms	Raw	3.53	11.93
Freiday, Peter Jr. (Eugene Bowers Farm)	Raw	3.52	12.20
Beiler, C. H. & H. C. (Dairymen's League)	Pasteurized	3.52	11.89
Lee, James N. (Durling Farms)	Pasteurized "A"	3.49	11.93
Alderney Dairy Co.	Pasteurized	3.49	11.87
Corley, John (Durling Farms)	Pasteurized "A"	3.48	11.93
Woodbrook Farms (Dairymen's League)	Pasteurized	3.47	11.97
Crivello Bros. (Supreme M. & C. Co.)	Pasteurized	3.47	11.96
Borden's Farm Prod. Co. (Newark Valley)	Pasteurized	3.47	11.77
Muller, W. F. (Maple Grove Farm)	Raw	3.46	12.19
Green Pasture Dairies (B. R. Waldron)	Pasteurized	3.46	11.85
Beiler, C. H. & H. C. (Durling Farms)	Pasteurized "A"	3.46	11.83
Swerdloff, J. (Supreme M. & C. Co.)	Pasteurized "A"	3.45	11.93
Squier, Jay F. (Supreme M. & C. Co.)	Pasteurized "A'	3.45	11.91
Quick, F. (Raritan Valley Farm)	Pasteurized	3.45	11.89
Quick, F. (Durling Farm)	Pasteurized "A"	3.45	11.81
Voorhies, Mrs. C. (Grotto Farm)	Raw	3.45	11.72
Kane, Hugh J. (Supreme M. & C. Co.)	Pasteurized	3.44	11.82
Plfd. Milk & Cream Co.	Pasteurized	3.44	11.81
Squier, Jay F. (B. R. Waldron Creamery)	Pasteurized	3.43	11.84
Krog, R. H. (Hickory Grove Farm)	Raw	3.42	11.74
Crivello Bros. (Supreme M. & C. Co.)	Pasteurized "A"	3.41	11.94
Schmalz Farms	Pasteurized	3.41	11.87
Thermann Dairy (Supreme M. & C. Co.)	Pasteurized "A"	3.39	11.81
Muller, J. F. (Hyland Farm)	Raw	3.39	11.69
Kane, Hugh J. (Supreme M. & C. Co.)	Pasteurized "A"	3.37	11.70
Siegel, Martin (Supreme M. & C. Co.)	Pasteurized "A"	3.36	11.72
Green Pasture Dairies (B. R. Waldron)	Pasteurized "A"	3.35	11.75
Corley, John (B. R. Waldron Creamery)	Pasteurized	3.32	11.61
Siegel, Martin (Supreme M. & C. Co.)	Pasteurized	3.32	11.61
Blossom Hill Farms	Raw Holstein	3.22	11.57

The following inspections were made in connection with food and drink:

MILK:		
Bottling places and Milk Stations	21	
Creameries	24	
Dairies	557	
Stores	57	
Miscellaneous	545	
		1,204
WATER:		
Inspections, etc.	28	
		28
ICE:		
Inspections	19	
		19
FOOD:		
Bakeries	117	
Bakery Wagons	40	
Confectionery, etc.	226	
Food Exposure	548	
Grocery Stores	344	
Markets (meat, etc.)	1,072	
Meat	76	
Restaurants	202	
Slaughter Houses	52	
Delicatessen	19	
Miscellaneous	4	
		2,700
		3,951

GENERAL SANITATION

In the main work of 1931 in cleaning refuse from vacant lots prevented the developing of new accumulations. Neighborhood pride prevented the careless and unwary from depositing refuse except in some few instances.

Where the names of the offenders could be obtained but little effort was required to cause them to see the error of their ways.

RAG WEED

This annual pest gives little rest to those afflicted with hay fever unless the weed is cut down before flowering.

Prior to 1931 we spent much time and effort in locating properties and serving notices. This year as in 1931 we spent the money in cutting service only instead of one man, we had two squads of three and four working with scythe and brush hook. Results were very satisfactory except for an attempt to require us to pay the men in food orders rather than money. This delay was but temporary however. A member of the Staff kept the men under constant supervision.

GENERAL SANITATION

General Inspections:		
Alleys	265	
Back Yards	5,131	
Barbers, etc.	37	
Public Drinking Facilities	35	
Dumps	110	
Factories	19	
Laundries	0	
Privy vaults & Cesspools	12	
Poultry Yards	15	
Permits	0	
Schools	10	
Stables—manure	1	
Public Toilets	30	
Swimming Pools	53	
Carnivals	11	
Heating	6	
Garbage Wagons	25	
Housing	3	
Smoke	3	
Dog Pound	196	
Rag Weed	165	
Miscellaneous	381	
		6,508

Complaints:		
Original Inspections	181	
Reinspections	129	
Notices Served	4	
Visits to Court	53	
		367
Plumbing:		
Water tests	167	
Smoke tests	77	
Additions & Alterations	165	
Old systems	79	
Reinspections	3	
Iron sewer connections	117	
		608
Number permits issued		183
		7,666

COMPLAINTS

Number remaining from previous years	0	
Number received during 1932	181	
		181
Number abated:		
Prior to 1932	0	
Received during 1932	181	
		181
Number unabated:		
Prior to 1932	0	
Received during 1932	0	
		0
Causes for which complaints were made:		
Garbage improperly cared for	40	
No water	29	
Insufficient Heat	6	
Dumping	16	
Insanitary Houses	14	
Sewer Stoppage	4	
Insanitary Yards	16	
Insanitary Toilets	5	
Cesspools (overflowing)	0	
Smoke	3	
Insanitary Chicken Yards	9	
Miscellaneous	39	
		181

The following is a summary of the visits and inspections made during the year.

Number visits in connection with communicable disease		2,151	
Number visits in connection with venereal disease		762	
Number inspections in connection with food and drink		3,951	
Number inspections in connection with general sanitation:			
General work	6,508		
Complaints	367		
		6,875	
Number inspections in connection with plumbing		608	
Total number visits and inspections made			14,347

PROSECUTIONS

Twelve court actions were required during the year.

Offense	Disposition
Sale of ice without license	Suspended Sentence
Sale of fish without license	$ 5.00 fine
Sale of fish without license	5.00 fine
Sale of fish without license	10.00 fine
Food Exposure	Suspended Sentence
Food Exposure	Suspended Sentence
Food Exposure	Suspended Sentence
Food Exposure	Suspended Sentence
Sale of milk without license	10.00 fine
No water supply	Suspended Sentence
No water supply	Suspended Sentence
No water supply	Suspended Sentence

PERMITS

Plumbing		183	
Barber Shops and Hairdressing Establishments		97	
Ice		66	
Garbage		35	
Offal		5	
Poultry Slaughter House		2	
Poultry Slaughterer		2	
Milk:			
Regular dealers	46		
Stores	128		
		174	
			564

In conclusion, let me quote from that renowned Statesman, Disraeli:

"The protection of the public health is the first duty of a statesman" and thank the Board, the Mayor and those of our Governing Body as well as our Citizens who have, thru cooperation, aided in furthering our efforts in Public Health Administration.

Respectfully submitted,

N. J. RANDOLPH CHANDLER,

Health Officer.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CITY ENGINEER

Plainfield, N. J., December 31, 1932.

To the Honorable, the Common Council, of the City of Plainfield, N. J.

Gentlemen:—

I beg to submit herewith my thirteenth annual report for the year ending December 31, 1932.

During the year just past, there was a general retrenchment in the activities of the Streets & Sewers Department, not only in new construction of new streets and sewers under contract, but in the work of street and sewer maintenance as well. A considerable amount of heavy storm sewer construction was done, however, in connection with unemployment relief, to which reference will be made later.

In view of existing economic conditions, the Common Council adopted a Streets and Sewers Budget of $102,250.00 to cover the cost of street and sewer maintenance and other activities of the Engineering Department, which was $36,250.00 less than that of 1931. This of course necessitated considerable curtailment in the activities of the department. All employees were put upon a reduced time schedule of five days per week and there was a reduction in salaries of the employees in the Engineering Department of about 25%. No changes were made, hovever, in the wages of laborers and truck drivers.

Fortunately weather conditions, particularly during the spring, were unusually favorable so far as damage to our old macadam pavements was concerned, making it possible to maintain these pavements in reasonably good condition for even less than we anticipated in our Budget estimates. This, with other economies, resulted in the Department having an unexpended balance of $5,254.87 from the Appropriation at the close of the year. $4,000.00 of this amount was reserved for the performance of certain work planned to be done early in 1933, principally the widening and paving of Cleveland Avenue from East Sixth Street to East Seventh Street, in connection with Unemployment Relief.

UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF

A very large portion of the time of employees of the Engineering Department was devoted to the construction of a large storm sewer in North Avenue between Netherwood Avenue and Leland Avenue and in Leland Avenue between Netherwood Avenue and East Seventh Street, under the provisions of General Improvement Ordinance No. 1025. This work was undertaken to provide labor for the unemployed in connection with the relief furnished by the City and State. In general the cost of supervision, materials, transportation and machinery for this work was borne by the City and charged to the ordinance authorizing the work. For the cost of labor performed, the City was reimbursed 50% by the State. This labor, however, was not paid for in cash but was covered by food orders given in advance of the performance of the work. The value of the food orders in return for which work was performed was charged to the Ordinance No. 1025.

While it is doubtless true that this method of sewer construction is more expensive than by contract with modern machinery (all excavation on this job having been done by hand), it is also true that the money spent for labor would have been paid out by the City in any event in the form of food orders with no visible return for the same, whereas by adding enough money to the cost of these food orders to purchase ma-

terial, hire machinery and provide for superintendence, the City has obtained a very much needed permanent public improvement at a very reasonable cost.

In addition to the work of sewer construction above mentioned, there has been additional incidental unemployment relief carried on under the supervision of the department such as cleaning street gutters, grading property adjacent to the Lincoln School for the Board of Education, grading a portion of the High School Field, grading on South End Parkway, collecting and distributing fire wood to the unemployed, and collecting the contents of the "Blue Barrels" placed in the various grocery stores by the Emergency Relief Organization for the receipt of groceries donated by the public.

All of these activities have given employment to approximately 1200 individuals, all of whom have received compensation in the form of food orders given them in advance of the performance of the work.

STREET AND SEWER MAINTENANCE

The street and sewer maintenance for the year has been of a routine nature and presented no features requiring special comment.

SIDEWALKS

Only one piece of new sidewalk construction was performed during the year. This consisted of the grading and paving of the southeasterly sidewalk of East Seventh Street from Coolidge Street to Terrill Road, a distance of 1660 lineal feet, the work being done by the owner of the abutting property, Mr. Arthur Brisbane, in compliance with the order issued by the City.

NEW TAX MAPS

The Engineering Department has been engaged for several years in making new Tax Maps of the City to take the place of the ones made in 1915. These maps show every lot in the City on the scale of fifty feet to one inch with their several dimensions.

Since these maps form the basis of all real estate assessments their preparation is work of great importance. In 1932 work had been completed on the First, Second and Third Wards and the maps put into service. Most of the work has been done on the maps of the Fourth Ward, but several months work remains to be done before they will be ready for use.

I feel that it is highly important that the maps of the Fourth Ward should be completed in 1933, not only because of the present need of the maps themselves, but because if time is allowed to elapse before the maps are finished, the preliminary work already done must be reviewed before the maps are completed.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. In my report of December 31, 1931 I recommended "The increase of the capacity of that portion of the sanitary relief sewer constructed about 1914 in Clinton Avenue between South Second Street and West Front Street. This section of the relief sewer consists of an inverted siphon which has considerably less capacity than the sewer above and below it. At times of peak load this results in congestion in the siphon which may, in case of even a slight stoppage or accident, result in over-

flow. I consider it highly important that measures be taken forthwith to provide necessary capacity in this section of this important sewer." I would renew this recommendation.

2. There is still a large mileage of old water-bound macadam in use in the City. Some of these pavements are very thin, in places not over two inches in thickness. Owing to the favorable sub-soil conditions, however, they are able to support existing traffic but only under constance maintenance with bituminous surface treatment to prevent ravelling. Such maintenance work is comparatively inexpensive but if ravelling begins then the whole pavement surface must be reconstructed at a very considerable expense. These old pavements have still a large value and there should be no curtailment in appropriation for their bituminous surface maintenance if the City's investment is to be protected. Almost any other street work can be postponed or omitted but I earnestly recommend that there be no retrenchment in the work referred to in this paragraph.

It gives me pleasure to record once more my appreciation of the cooperation received from the Mayor, Common Council and the various Department Heads of the City.

Respectfully submitted

A. W. VARS,
City Engineer.

SCHEDULE A

STATEMENT OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENTS, 1919-1932

Ordinance	Description	Charged To City	Charged to Owner	Contributions	Total
201	Widening and paving of watchung Ave., E. Front St. to Railroad	$ 5,554.85	$52,846.66	$ 3,212.23	$61,613.74
202	Macadam on St. Mary's Ave., Watson Ave. and George St.	17,191.10	27,635.93		44,827.03
203	Storm Sewer in Central Ave., from W. Front St. to W. Sixth St.	34,713.79	1,019.10		35,732.89
204	Extending St. Mark's Pl. to Leland Ave.	34.00	766.00		800.00
205-206	Storm Sewer in Randolph Rd. from Arlington Ave. to Cedar Brook	13,756.79			13,756.79
207	Macadam on Kenyon Ave., Stelle Ave. to Randolph Rd.	1,000.06	6,514.95		7,515.01
208	Sanitary Sewers in Hillside Ave., Martine Ave., Casino Ave., Evergreen Ave. and E. Sixth St.	16.81	7,603.24		7,620.05
209	Victory Pl. not passed.				
210	State Highway, Route 9, Sec. A, Fifth St. and Plainfield Ave.	18,061.55	27,843.02	65,000.00	110,904.57
211	Sanitary Sewer in St. Mark's Pl.	1.49	1,039.62		1,041.11
212	Sanitary Sewers in Huntington Ave., Grant Ave., Stillman Ave., and Leland Ave.	18.88	5,020.42		5,039.30
213	Sanitary Sewers in Wiley Ave., and McCrea Pl.	2.91	1,696.00		1,698.91
214	Macadamizing St. Mark's Pl., Mc Crea Pl., Arlington Ave., Stelle Ave., Bergen St., Willever St., Everett Pl., DeKalb Ave., Spruce St., and Clinton Pl.	8,595.49	47,062.77		55,658.26
215	Storm Sewers in Albert St., W. Front St., Washington Ave., West End Ave., Geraud Ave., and Arlington Ave.	35,171.79			35,171.79
216	State Highway, Route 9, Section B, W. Front St., from Plainfield Ave to Jefferson Ave.	5,065.52	54,674.96	175,596.72	235,337.20
217	Sanitary Sewers in Woodland Ave. between Watchung Ave. and Putnam Ave.	175.57	796.24		971.81
218	Paving of W. Front St. from Washington Ave. to Plainfield Ave. and Richmond St. from E. Second St. to E. Fifth St.	17,839.87	16,373.62	18,728.96	52,942.45
219	Storm Sewer across W. Front St., near Rock Ave.	6,263.67			6,263.67
220	Sanitary Sewers in Highland Ave. and George St.	393.16	3,356.63		3,749.79
221	Grading Midway	3,267.49	16,285.27		19,552.76
222	Sanitary Sewers in Park Ave. and Belleview Ave.	9.97	2,943.96		2,953.93
223	Sanitary Sewer in Watchung Ave. between Woodland Ave. and Belvidere Ave.	179.67	457.50		637.17
224	Widening W. Second St., Liberty St. to Plainfield Ave. not Passed.				
225	Sanitary relief sewers, W. Second St., Central Ave., to Liberty St.	6,923.30			6,923.30
226	Paving Central Ave., Liberty St. and W. Second St.	38,898.59	38,929.93		77,828.52
227	Pavement on E. Second St. from Netherwood Ave. to Terrill Rd.	39,071.03	34,380.14	1,380.72	74,831.89
228	Building and Trestle in City Yard on South Ave.	16,493.48			16,493.48
229	Storm Sewers in W. Seventh St., Monroe Ave., and E. and W. Fourth Sts.	24,012.58			24,012.58
230	Pavement on Myrtle Ave. east of Compton Ave.	2,215.33	4,462.29		6,677.62
231	Storm Sewers in E. Front St. Norwood Ave. and Leland Ave.	33,610.75			33,610.75
232	Storm Sewers in Grant Ave., S. Second St., W. Fourth St. and R. of W. near Rushmore Ave.	47,618.10			47,618.10

Ordinance	Description	Charged To City	Charged to Owner	Contributions	Total
233	Sanitary Sewers in Berkeley Terrace and E. Front St.	2,499.69	10,783.49		13,283.18
234	Storm Sewers in Berkeley Terrace and E. Front St.	9,928.23			9,928.23
235	Pavement on East Front St. from Watchung Ave. to Terrill Rd.	9,267.41	63,300.07		72,567.48
236	Pavement on Huntington Ave., Grant Ave. and Woodbine Ave.	4,514.70	23,241.15		27,755.85
237	Pavement on East and West Fourth Sts.	36,386.31	27,440.59		63,826.90
238	Pavement South Ave. defeated. See Ordinance 243.				
239	Pavement West Fourth St., Plainfield Ave. to Monroe Ave.	32,742.66	31,021.08		63,763.74
240	Sanitary Sewer, Sycamore Ave., Brookside Pl., and Green Brook Park	1,622.38	15,246.90		16,869.28
241	Sanitary Sewer, Berckman St. and Garden St. Defeated. See Ordinance 244.				
242	Sanitary Sewer, Dorsey Pl. and Fernwood Ave.	73.23	3,894.82		3,968.05
243	Pavement on South Ave. from Richmont St. to Terrill Rd.	28,499.57	65,745.22	87,965.85	182,210.64
244	Sanitary Sewer in Berckman St. and Garden St.	256.58	1,585.45		1,842.03
245	Pavement Sherman Ave. and Rose St.	1,538.03	26,420.72		27,958.75
246	Sanitary Sewer in Sherman Ave.	283.40	1,203.90		1,487.30
247	Widening and paving New St.		(Not yet assessed)		
248	Pavement of Cleveland Ave.		Defeated		
249	Pavement of West End Ave. and Grant Ave.		Defeated		
250	Widening and Paving of Church St.		(Not yet assessed)		
251	Widening and Paving of East Second St. from Watchung Ave. to Roosevelt Ave.	15,698.66	35,072.75		50,771.41
252	Pavement of East and West 7th St. City line to City line	77,520.01	90,153.88		167,673.89
253	Sanitary Sewer in West 8th St., Monroe Ave. to City line	848.62	2,142.00		2,990.62
254	Pavement Leland Ave. from East Front St., to George St.	7,819.29	15,218.04		23,037.33
255	Pavement Halsey St.	346.39	8,316.42		8,662.81
256	Paving Fernwood Ave. and Dorsey Pl.	2,592.52	12,671.46		15,263.98
257	Paving a portion of Stilford Ave.	6.14	2,910.62		2,916.76
258	Resurfacing old brick pavements in center of City. Defeated.				
259	Sanitary Sewers in Dorsey Pl. and Park Ave.	235.83	3,783.24		4,019.07
260	Sanitary Sewers in Rahway Rd. and Prospect Ave. Defeated. See Ordinance 261.				
261	Sanitary Sewers in Rahway Rd. and Prospect Ave.	39.28	3,238.80		3,278.08
262	Resurfacing old brick pavements in center of City. Defeated.				
263	Sanitary Sewers in sections of Kenyon Ave., Belvidere Ave., Charlotte Rd. and George St.	1,469.60	8,462.29		9,931.89
264	Paving sections of George St., Leland Ave., Hobert Ave., Raymond Ave., Martine Ave., Kenyon Ave., Madison Ave., Field Ave., Alletta St. and Henry Pl.	21,375.42	82,230.94		103,606.36
265	Grading Watchung Ave. extension	3,326.46	6,605.70		9,932.16
266	Sanitary Sewers in sections of Huntington Ave., Marsh Pl., Central Ave., Elizabeth St., Pemberton Ave. Kenyon Ave., Fayette Pl., Berkeley Terrace and Raymond Ave.	155.02	22,941.97		23,096.99
267	Widen and Improve Melrose Ave. and Melrose Pl.	2,131.77	4,689.75		6,821.52

Ordinance	Description	Charged To City	Charged to Owner	Contributions	Total
268	Paving Grant Ave.	31,060.87	29,762.33		60,823.20
269	Paving West Eighth St. Defeated.				
270	Sanitary Sewer in Murray Ave.	8.82	1,791.76		1,800.58
271	Sanitary Sewer in Florence Ave.		3,349.36		3,349.36
272	Sanitary Sewer in sections of Terrill Road	Work not done. See Ordinance 276			
273	Paving sections of Plainfield Ave.	9,464.00	3,747.41		13,211.41
274	Paving Murray Ave.	5,182.71	11,351.05		16,533.76
275	Sanitary Sewers in Watchung Ave., Inwood Pl., Leland Ave., etc.	6,984.99	20,075.83		27,060.82
276	Sanitary Sewers in sections of Geneva Pl.. Watchung Ave., Columbia Ave., Charlotte Rd., Randolph Rd., Elizabeth St., Terrill Rd. and Stelle Ave.	5,109.73	19,089.71		24,199.44
277	Paving sections of Stelle Ave., Elizabeth St., Pemberton Ave., Kenyon Ave., Central Ave., Stillman Ave., Florence Ave., Charlotte Rd., Highland Ave., Fayette Pl., Stilford Ave., Myrtle Ave., Geneva Pl., and St. Nicholas Blvd.	22,851.10	130,044.21		152,895.31
278	Sanitary Sewers in sections of Hillcrest Ave., Park Pl., and Stilford Ave.		3,723.38		3,723.38
279	Park Ave. Widening	308,535.04	308,135.04	15,000.00	631,670.08
280	Sanitary Sewer in Carnegie Ave.		5,191.41		5,191.41
281	Open and Pave Gavett Pl.	75,162.59	32,932.15		108,094.74
282	Paving sections of Kenyon Ave., Radcliffe Pl., Hillcrest Ave., Marshall Pl., Dixie Lane and Hazelwood Terrace	1,250.24	37,659.41		38,909.65
283	Paving of Watchung Ave., from Charlotte Road to Leland Ave.	18,228.96	36,948.21		55,177.17
285	Widening and paving Cleveland Ave. from East Fifth St. to East Sixth St.	2,292.77	4,755.93		7,048.70
286	Construction of Water Main in Watchung Ave., from Charlotte Rd. to Leland Ave.		Work not done.		
287	Paving sections of Hillcrest Ave. and Berkeley Terrace	1,545.10	23,446.39		24,991.49
288	Sanitary Sewers in sections of Hillcrest Ave., Terrill Rd., Rock Ave., Myrtle Ave., and Field Ave.	1,557.12	5,505.92		7,063.04
289	Paving Myrtle Ave. from Clinton Ave. to Rock Ave.	7,541.86	22,311.51		29,853.37
290	Paving Park Ave. from Ninth St. to City Line	21,743.50	38,648.79		60,392.29
291	Paving Crescent Ave. from E. Seventh St. to Park Ave.		Defeated		
293	Paving sections of Berkeley Terrace, East Sixth St., and Everett Place.	763.23	13,966.23		14,729.46
294	Paving Carnegie Avenue	Work not done. See Ordinance 297.			
295	Sanitary Sewers in West End Ave., and lands of City of Plainfield	37.31	1,538.64		1,575.95
296	Sanitary Sewers in sections of Field Ave., Hartridge Pl., Grant Ave., Stillman Ave., Wadsworth Ave., and right-of-way.	486.10	5,070.58		5,556.68
297	Paving sections of Carnegie Ave. and Third Place	3,310.80	12,202.16		15,512.96
298	Sanitary Sewers in sections of Andover Ave., South End Parkway and Marion Ave.		7,254.06		7,254.06
299	Paving sections of Stillman Ave., Grant Ave. and Hartridge Place	106.82	10,392.49		10,499.31
300	Paving South End Parkway		(Not completed)		

STATEMENT OF GENERAL IMPROVEMENT ORDINANCES

Ordinance	Description	Charged To City	Charged to Owner	Contributions	Total
1001	Widening of East and West Seventh Sts.	$50,000.00			$50,000.00
1002	Storm Sewer in Randolph Rd., Arlington Ave. to Park Ave.	20,429.67			20,429.67
1003	Resurfacing pavement on Crescent Ave., Watchung Ave., and Park Ave.	10,500.00			10,500.00
1004	Resurfacing old brick pavement in center of City.		See Ordinance 258		
1005	Storm Sewer in New St.	24,079.70			24,079.70
1006	Widening E. Second St. at Post Office.	3,459.46			3,459.46
1007	Randolph Rd. Pumping Station.	20,000.00			20,000.00
1008	Storm Sewers in Cedar Brook Park and Kenyon Ave.	7,238.48		4,000.00	11,238.48
1009	Widening Park Ave., Fourth St. to Seventh St.	13,837.24			13,837.24
1010	Lay out and open Spooner Ave., 8th St. to Sherman Ave.	13,000.00			13,000.00
1012	Widen North Ave. at Watchung Ave.	16,606.02			16,606.02
1013	Grading Spooner Ave., 8th St. to Sherman Ave.	2,666.44			2,666.44
1014	Cedar Brook Storm Sewer		(Repealed)		
1015	Cedar Brook Storm Sewer from Cedar Brook Park to Richmond St. near Watchung Ave.	183,289.56			183,289.56
1016	Widen West Fifth St., from Park Ave. to Plainfield Ave.	37,466.10			37,466.10
1017	Grading sections of Pemberton Ave., Huntington Ave., and Field Avenue		Work not done.		
1019	Storm Sewer in West Front St. and through property of City of Plainfield from West Front St. to Green Brook.	99,292.10			99,292.10
1020	Widening Park Ave. between Ninth St. and City Line	491.97			491.97
1021	Opening Carnegie Ave. from Third Pl. to Prospect Ave.	1,225.00			1,225.00
1022	Storm Sewer from Park Ave. through Cedar Brook Park to Cedar Brook	16,958.65			16,958.65
1023	Cedar Brook Storm Sewer from Richmond St. near Watchung Ave. to North Ave. near Berckman St.		(Not completed)		
1024	Storm Sewer from West Front St. near Everett Pl. to W. Fourth St. near Halsey St. and from Rushmore Ave. and Willever St. to C. R. R. of N. J., at Clinton Ave.	133,980.93			133,980.93

SCHEDULE B

STATISTICAL STATEMENT

STREETS

Length of Paved Street (City)	14.37	miles
Length of Paved Streets (County)	6.45	miles
Length of Bituminous Macadam Streets	19.17	miles
Length of Water-bound Macadam Streets	39.00	miles
Length of Improved Streets	78.99	miles
Length of Unimproved Streets	19.57	miles
Total Length of Streets in City	98.56	miles
Area of Permanent Pavements	390,272	sq. yds.
Area of Bituminous Macadam Pavements	292,154	sq. yds.
Area of Water-bound Macadam Pavements	522,543	sq. yds.
Total Area of Pavements	1,204,969	sq. yds.
Area of Permanent Pavements constructed in 1931	none	
Area of Permanent Pavements constructed in 1932	none	
Area of Bituminous Macadam Surfacing in 1931	12,360	sq. yds.
Area of Bituminous Macadam Surfacing in 1932	2,998	sq. yds.
Area of Macadam Resurfaced in 1931	none	
Area of Macadam Resurfaced in 1932	none	
Area of Bituminous Surface Treatment in 1931	451,742	sq. yds.
Area of Bituminous Surface Treatment in 1932	267,995	sq. yds.
Cost of Bituminous Surface Treatment in 1931	0.0421	per sq. yd.
Cost of Bituminous Surface Treatment in 1932	0.0448	per sq. yd.
Amount of Bituminous Material for Surface Treatment used in 1931	118,650	gals. or
	0.2626	gals. per sq. yd.
Amount of Bituminous Material for Surface Treatment used in 1932	63,000	gals. or
	0.2351	gals. per sq. yd.
Cost of Bituminous Material for Surface Treatment Applied in 1931	0.1098	per gal.
Cost of Bituminous Material for Surface Treatment Applied in 1932	0.11	per gal.
Length of Streets Treated with Bituminous Material in 1931	32.82	miles
Length of Streets Treated with Bituminous Material in 1932	30.75	miles

SEWERS

Length of Storm Sewers	23.07	miles
Length of Sanitary Sewers	85.89	miles
Number of House Connections on Sanitary Sewers	7,582	
Pumping Stations	6	
Auxiliary Pumping Stations	1	

SCHEDULE C

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Budget Appropriation, Street and Sewer Department:	
City Sewer Maintenance	$ 18,000.00
Street Maintenance and Miscellaneous Expenses	84,250.00
	$102,250.00

Disbursements

City Sewer Maintenance	$ 17,399.20	
City Street Maintenance	77,791.31	
Reserve 1932	7,059.49	
		$102,250.00

Detailed Statement Street Maintenance.

Street Maintenance, including Gutter Cleaning:			
Bituminous Patching, Scarifying and reshaping macadam, cost of supplies, automobile maintenance and miscellaneous expenses		$ 40,250.28	
Cleaning and Sprinkling Paved Streets		3,720.13	
Engineering Salaries (Net) including $1,772.81 for New Tax Maps		18,921.71*	
Bituminous Surface Treatment (Material & Labor)		12,009.27	
Streets Signs, Replacements & maintenance		11.62	
Water-bound Macadam Resurfacing, W. 3rd St., Shoulders, (Plainfield Ave. to Clinton Ave.), Myrtle Avenue, Shoulders, (Compton Ave. to Clinton Ave.,) Richmond Street, (E. 6th St. to E. 7th St.,) and Rushmore Avenue, (W. 2nd St. to W. 3rd St.)		2,177.42	
Bituminous Macadam Resurfacing as follows:			
Randolph Road Shoulders, (Cedar Brook to Kenyon Avenue)	$ 96.00		
Intersection of Berkeley Ave. and Ravine Road	122.37		
Intersection of Denmark Road and Ravine Road	165.59		
Crescent Ave., (E. 7th St. to Park Ave.)	943.01		
Hillside Ave., (Chetwynd Ave. to Randolph Road)	611.16		
Richmond St., (E. 5th St. to E. 6th St.)	683.82		
		2,621.95	
North Avenue Sewer		2,144.89	
Hillside Avenue Sewer		250.00	
City Yard Maintenance & Supplies		1,290.95	
Maintenance of Equipment		851.78	
			$ 84,250.00

* Exclusive of cost of engineering or permanent improvements.

Cost of Snow Removal, paid from Contingent Fund	$ 2,880.17

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